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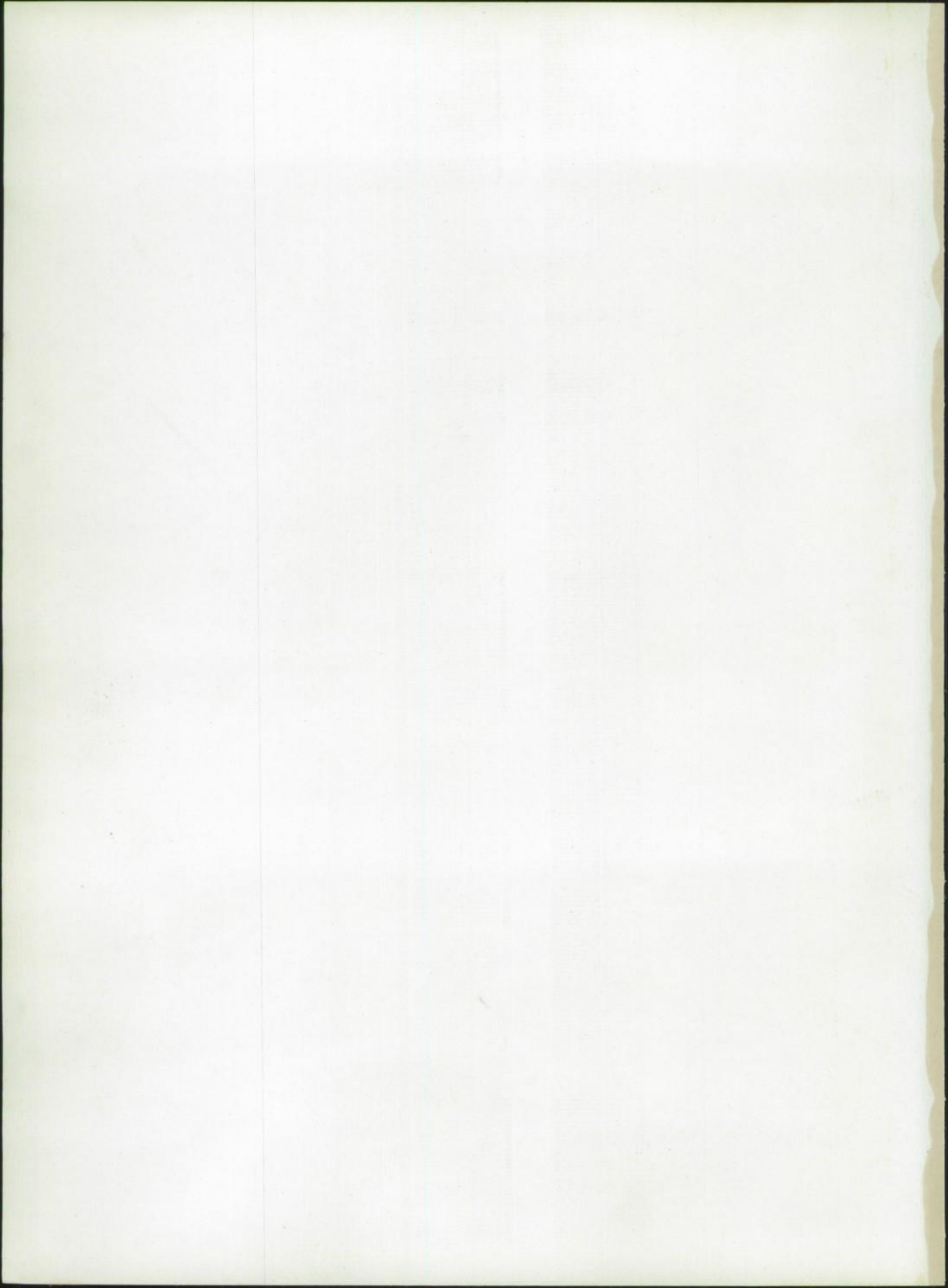
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THE SENIOR CLASS

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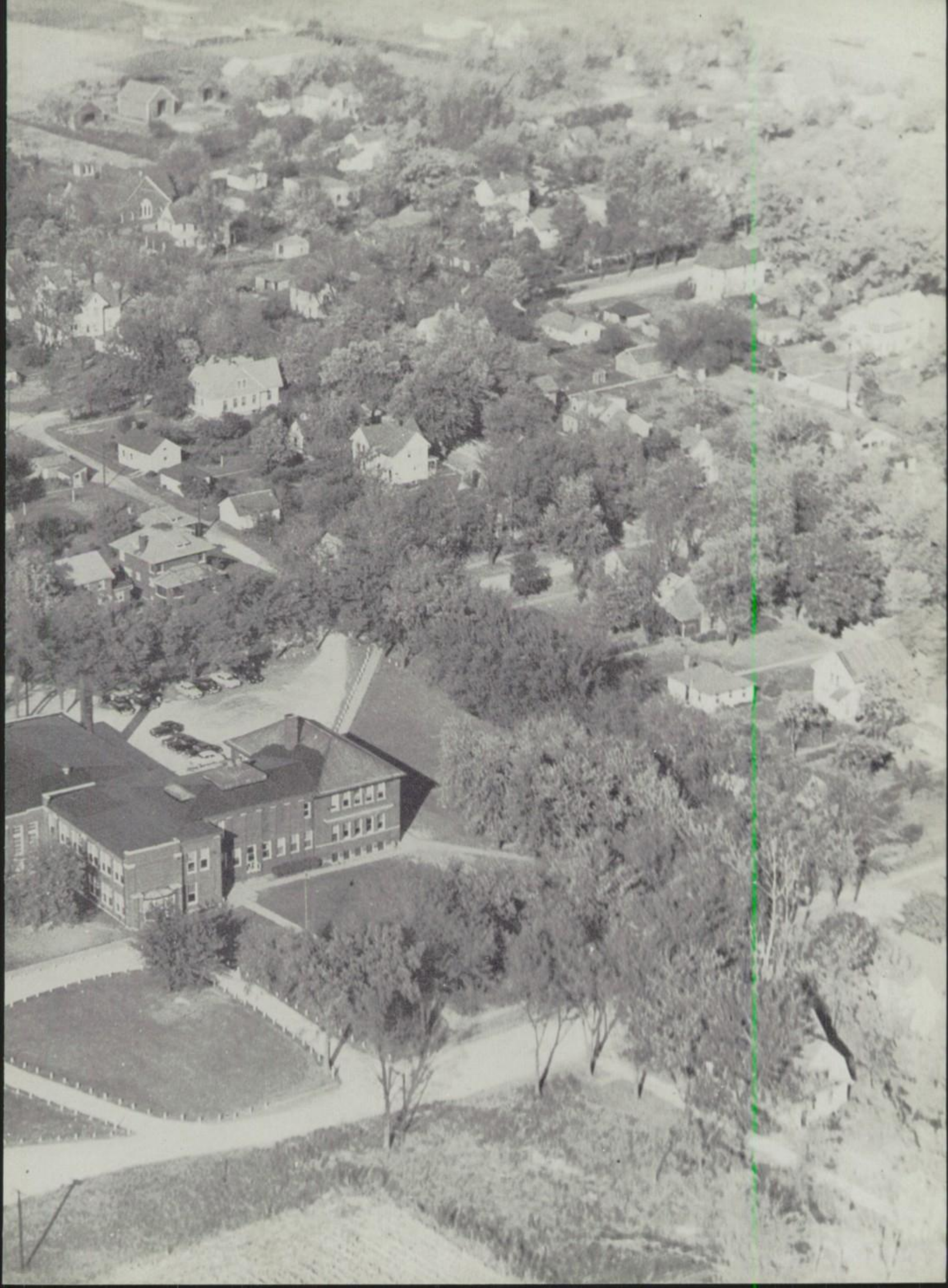
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We the Senior Class of 1954, present this Annual to the succeeding classes of Grant Park High School as a record of the achievement of our twelve years in school. We hope it will serve to remind you of us as you, yourselves, finish high school and join the adult world.

In the next pages we bring to you academic and social activities of the past year--1954 Grantonian.

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# Seniors

The rung of a ladder was never meant to rest upon, but only to hold a man's foot long enough to enable him to put the other somewhat higher — T. H. Huxley







### Senior Class Officers

Lucy Gaylord - Treasurer

Marge Williams - Secretary

Edgar Baker - Vice President

Stanley Schneider - President

### CLASS HISTORY

It seems like just a few weeks ago that we were Freshmen and just starting our exciting days of high school. The last couple of years seemed to fly by. Now, as Seniors, we think of all the wonderful times we have had and start reminiscing.

In our Freshman year there were sixteen of us. Edgar Baker was President; Warren Sievers, Vice President; Marilyn Sievers, Secretary; Sue Whorrall, Treasurer. Miss Woare and Mr. Snyder were our advisors.

In our Sophomore year we had seventeen members. Our class sponsors were Miss Sherrard and Mr. Miller. Our class officers were: Lucy Gaylord, president; Marilyn Sievers, Vice president; Shirley Boicken, Secretary; Marge Williams, Treasurer. As Sophomores, we sponsored a Bake Sale, Class Skating party, and an All-School Halloween Party.

When we were Juniors, we had 14 members. Ronald Schneider was president; Edgar Baker, Vice president; Marilyn Sievers, Secretary; Shirley Boicken, Treasurer, and Mrs. Turner and Mr. Miller, advisors. During the first part of December, the Class was busy selling magazines. On November 4 and 5 we gave our class play--Auntie's Money. Warren Sievers sudden illness didn't effect the play, although scaring us, it was a big success.

The theme of our Prom was "Moonlight and Roses." Earl Betourne and his orchestra furnished the music. This was one event in our high school life that we will all remember.

Again in our Senior year we had 14 members. Stanley Schneider was elected President; Marge Williams, Secretary; Edgar Baker, Vice president; Lucy Gaylord, Treasurer. Our class sponsors were Miss Haldorson and Mr. Metzger.

Getting ready for the Alumni Dance was one of our big events of the year. Also we had fun working on the yearbook at nights and practicing and giving the Senior Class play.

Before we realized it, we were getting ready for our last semester exams we would ever take in high school. Graduation was May 28.

### CLASS COLORS

Blue and White

### CLASS FLOWER

White Carnation

### CLASS MOTTO

"Ever climbing"



Edgar Baker

|                      |            |
|----------------------|------------|
| Basketball           | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Baseball             | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| F. F. A.             | 1, 2       |
| Grantonian Staff     | 4          |
| Yearbook Staff       | 4          |
| Class President      | 1          |
| Class Vice President | 3, 4       |
| Student Council      | 1, 3, 4    |
| Press Club           | 4          |
| Auntie's Money       | 3          |
| Senior Play          | 4          |



Mary Bartruff

|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| Kempton High School | 1, 2       |
| Girls' Chorus       | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| G. A. A.            | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| F. H. A.            | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Press Club          | 4          |
| Treasurer           | 4          |
| Yearbook Staff      | 4          |
| Grantonian          | 4          |
| Dramatics Club      | 2          |
| Senior Play         | 4          |
| Librarian           | 1          |
| Junior Play         | 3          |

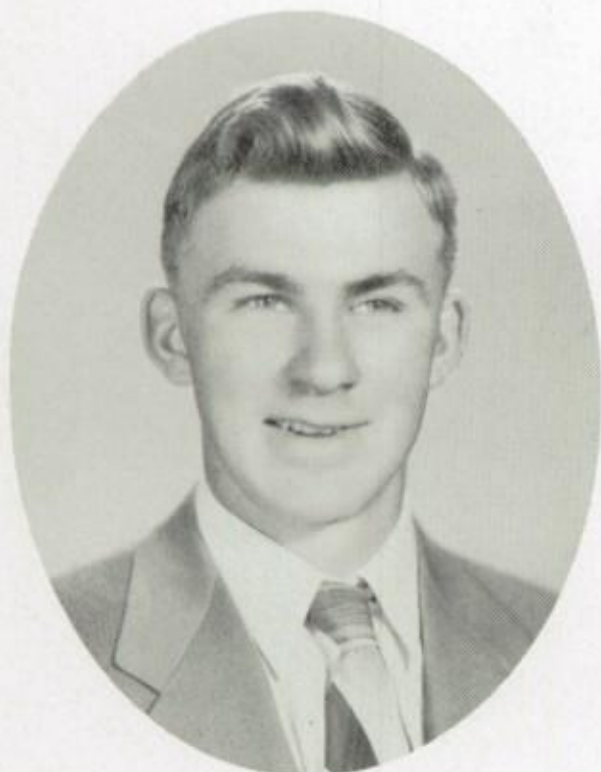


Shirley Boicken

|                       |            |
|-----------------------|------------|
| Chorus                | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Librarian             | 3          |
| Band                  | 4          |
| Class Secretary       | 2          |
| Class Treasurer       | 3          |
| "Auntie's Money"      | 3          |
| F. H. A.              | 1, 2, 4    |
| Parliamentarian       | 2          |
| Historian             | 4          |
| G. A. A.              | 1, 2       |
| Press Club            | 4          |
| Student Council       | 2, 3       |
| Dance Band            | 4          |
| Yearbook Staff        | 4          |
| Ass't Editor          | 4          |
| Senior Play           | 4          |
| Grantonian Staff      | 4          |
| Jr. Editor            | 3          |
| Ass't Editor          | 4          |
| Librarian             | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| K. K. K. Reporter     | 4          |
| Music Festival        | 2, 3       |
| "Why the Chimes Rang" | 4          |







Marvin Ekhoft

|                  |         |
|------------------|---------|
| Baseball         | 1       |
| Basketball       | 1, 2, 3 |
| Yearbook Staff   | 4       |
| Press Club       | 4       |
| "Auntie's Money" | 3       |
| Grantonian Staff | 4       |
| Senior Play      | 4       |



Lucy Gaylord

|                  |            |
|------------------|------------|
| Cheerleader      | 2, 4       |
| Corn Queen       | 2          |
| G. A. A.         | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Girls State      | 3          |
| Class President  | 2          |
| Class Treasurer  | 4          |
| "Auntie's Money" | 3          |
| Senior Play      | 4          |
| Chorus           | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Soloist          | 2, 3, 4    |
| Student Council  | 2, 4       |
| Yearbook Staff   | 4          |
| Press Club       | 4          |
| Grantonian Staff | 4          |



Vernon Landry

|                  |         |
|------------------|---------|
| Baseball         | 3, 4    |
| Basketball       | 1, 3, 4 |
| Grantonian Staff | 4       |
| Press Club       | 4       |
| F. F. A.         | 2       |
| Band             | 1       |
| Yearbook Staff   | 4       |



Tom Lord

|                             |            |
|-----------------------------|------------|
| Basketball                  | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Sterling Hamann<br>Memorial | 3          |
| Baseball                    | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Spanish Club                | 1, 2       |
| Press Club                  | 4          |
| Vice President              | 4          |
| Grantonian Staff            | 4          |
| Student Council             | 4          |
| Yearbook Staff              | 4          |
| Chorus                      | 4          |
| "Auntie's Money"            | 3          |
| "Why the Chimes Rang"       | 4          |
| Senior Play                 | 4          |



Ronald Schneider

|                    |            |
|--------------------|------------|
| F. A. A.           | 2          |
| Student Council    | 3, 4       |
| President          | 4          |
| Class President    | 3          |
| Press Club         | 4          |
| President          | 4          |
| Baseball           | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Basketball Manager | 3, 4       |
| Grantonian Staff   | 4          |
| "Auntie's Money"   | 3          |
| Senior Play        | 4          |
| Yearbook Staff     | 4          |



Stanley Schneider

|                      |            |
|----------------------|------------|
| Basketball           | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Baseball             | 1          |
| "Auntie's Money"     | 3          |
| Senior Play          | 4          |
| Press Club           | 4          |
| Yearbook Staff       | 4          |
| Grantonian<br>Editor | 4          |
| F. F. A.             | 2          |
| Class President      | 4          |
| Student Council      | 4          |
| Vice President       | 4          |







Mary Schroeder

|                    |      |
|--------------------|------|
| Girls' Chorus      | 1, 2 |
| Mixed Chorus       | 1, 2 |
| F. H. A.           | 3    |
| Pep Club President | 4    |
| Student Council    | 4    |
| Grantonian Staff   | 4    |
| Yearbook Staff     | 4    |
| Press Club         | 4    |
| "Auntie's Money"   | 3    |
| Senior Play        | 4    |



Warren Sievers

|                      |            |
|----------------------|------------|
| Class Vice President | 1          |
| Basketball           | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Baseball             | 1          |
| Press Club           | 4          |
| Grantonian Staff     | 4          |
| Student Council      | 1          |
| Yearbook Staff       | 4          |
| "Auntie's Money"     | 3          |
| Senior Play          | 4          |



Marilyn Sievers

|                  |            |
|------------------|------------|
| G. A. A.         | 1, 2       |
| Secretary        | 2          |
| Chorus           | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Soloist          | 2          |
| Girls' Trio      | 3          |
| Girls' Quartet   | 4          |
| Librarian        | 1, 2       |
| Student Council  | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Class Secretary  | 1, 3       |
| Vice President   | 2          |
| Press Club       | 4          |
| Secretary        | 4          |
| Grantonian       | 3, 4       |
| Yearbook         | 4          |
| "Auntie's Money" | 3          |
| Senior Play      | 4          |



Sue Whorrall

|                   |            |
|-------------------|------------|
| G. A. A.          | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| President         | 4          |
| Vice President    | 3          |
| Treasurer         | 1          |
| Class Treasurer   | 1          |
| Cheerleader       | 4          |
| Chorus            | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| Press Club        | 4          |
| Grantonian Staff  | 4          |
| F. H. A.          | 1          |
| K. K. K. Reporter | 4          |
| Student Council   | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| "Auntie's Money"  | 3          |
| Senior Play       | 4          |
| Yearbook Staff    | 4          |



Marge Williams

|                       |            |
|-----------------------|------------|
| Chorus                | 1, 2, 3, 4 |
| F. H. A.              | 4          |
| Press Club            | 4          |
| Yearbook Staff        | 4          |
| Grantonian Staff      | 4          |
| Student Council       | 4          |
| Class Secretary       | 4          |
| Class Treasurer       | 3          |
| Librarian             | 2          |
| "Auntie's Money"      | 3          |
| "Why the Chimes Rang" | 4          |
| Senior Play           | 4          |





## CLASS PROPHECY

The producer of Metro Goldwyn Meyer has heard that the well-known Play Director, Mary Schroeder, is arriving at the airport in Los Angeles on Flight 39 T. W. A. from a tour of Europe.

The producer, Warren Sievers, takes off in his huge Limousine and reaches his destination within ten minutes. He is very discouraged to find that the plane has not yet arrived. As he nervously paces the floor, he spots a familiar blond as she anxiously watches the runway for the delayed plane. She is none other than Marilyn Sievers, an important Airline Hostess.

As they take turns looking through a telescope, they sight Flight 39 T. W. A. safely landed on Mars. What, who is that tall, handsome guy running out to meet them with his Ray Guns and all? He is a well-known scientist and mechanic on Mars. As he gives the plane the once over, he decides that it's beyond repair so he informs Mary and the rest of the crew that he will have to take them back to earth in one of his own ships. Yes, this, as you may have guessed, is Tom Lord.

Excited tension rises as Tom's ship glides in for a landing. Marilyn and Warren rush out to meet them. As the four of them are about to leave the runway, they notice a huge vegetable truck pull up. Why it's Edgar Baker, and he tells us that he owns a huge trucking farm in Oregon and owns a string of markets all along the West Coast.

Since Tom is visiting us from Mars, we decided to take him for a tour of Los Angeles.

Hey gang, look, doesn't that tall, slim girl coming out of that office building look familiar? She sure does. It's Mary Bartruff. Mary has just told us that she has finally worked her way up to the top and is a private secretary to a large dressmaking firm. Since she earns \$4 an hour, she saw no reason to get married for a while. She calls herself the "Lucky Rich Girl" from Los Angeles.



Someone buys a newspaper and lets out an excited yell as a familiar face is seen on the front page. "Miss Sue Whorrall matches her designing of clothes with those of Paris." It seems as though Sue has made herself a celebrity in the World News.

I saw the Cub Baseball game on T. V. last week and it sure was exciting. Our old classmate, Ronald Schneider, was pitching. It's a sure bet that he will be another Babe Ruth.

Someone got a letter from Shirley Boicken the other day saying she was very successful in her business career. She has beaten all typing records by typing 250 words a minute. Impossible you say, well, could be.

Do you see that tall hotel building over there where that young man is waving to us from the top window? That's the rich playboy, Marvin Ekhooff. He is glad that he decided to remain a bachelor, that way he can take all of the girls out. Oh! what a life that Marvin leads.

You have all certainly heard of Stanley Schneider, President of the Farm Bureau. He leads the farmers and shows them improved ways to better their farming. The country will never starve as long as Stanley leads the farmers.

Vernon Landry is Vice President of the Farm Bureau and helps Stanley a great deal. He is one of the richest farmers in Illinois. He takes a vacation every now and then on Mars to visit Tom.

Remember that cute little blond with a slight touch of red in her hair? None other than Marge Williams. You can see Marge on any magazine cover. She is also famous for her new hair styles.

Finally we have all settled down in Marge's luxurious hotel room to enjoy our favorite T. V. program, "I Love Lucy", starring Lucy Gaylord as Lucy. She is a famous comedian and is quickly recognized by her big smile.

By the way Warren has finally persuaded Mary to help direct his play. When the evening is over they both have decided that each one of their classmates could play a perfect role in the new play.



## CLASS WILL

We, the Senior Class of 1954 of Grant Park Community High School, being of good health and sound minds, leave to our faculty and classmates this our final will and testament:

First, to the Juniors we will our ability to give a successful Prom.

Second, to the Sophomores, we will our quietness and ability to get along with upper-classmen.

Third, to the Freshmen, we will our three years of experience.

Fourth, we the Class of 1954, as hereby will and bequeath the following items to the said persons with the hope that these our last requests will be faithfully executed.

To Mr. Thomas, we leave a mechanical spanking machine for the girls who have failed to study their shorthand.

To Mr. Metzger, we will a voice-exercising machine, so he may develop his under-nourished voice.

To Mr. Johnson, we leave a squadron of armed guards to patrol the gym door at basketball games.

To Mr. Zimmerman, we leave a newspaper that will be able to print all his news.

To Miss Nissen, we will a maid and butler to do the dishes the girls forgot.

To Miss Garber, we will a perfect typist, who will make no mistakes while typing a stencil.

To Miss Small, we leave a baby sitter for the hamsters.

To Miss Haldorson, we leave an automatic teaching machine on Mr. Shakespeare.

To Miss Buckley, we leave an electric eye to pick out all the klinkers made by the band and chorus.

To Mr. Hamann, we leave a hearing aid, so he may better hear the beautiful tones of the band members practicing during P. E. class.

To Miss Stadt, we will an electric machine that will automatically make out admit slips.

Fifth, I Mary Bartruff, will my quietness to Joan Pike.

I, Lucy Gaylord, will my cheering ability to my sister Margaret and my ability to go steady with a farm boy to my other sister, Barbara.

I, Shirley Boicken, will my ability to go steady three years in high school and to get to school on time to Joanne Graf.

I, Ronald Schneider, will my crew-cut to Vic Frahm.

I, Sue Whorrall, will my natural curly hair to Annette Eilers and my ability to go steady with a K. K. K. boy to Carol Howard.

I, Mary Schroeder, will my ability to be an "old maid" to Ali Lou Jurgerson.

I, Marge Williams, will my ability to be neat to Marlene Keen and my ability not to forget things to Wilma Sabo.

I, Stanley Schneider, will my ability to roam about the halls first period without a pass to Clifford Holtz.

I, Tom Lord, will my appetite to Byron Heldt.

I, Warren Sievers, will my dimples to Johnnie Loitz.

I, Marvin Ekhoft, will my ability to make straight A's to Wilma Sabo.

I, Edgar Baker, will my blue eyes to Dick Love.

I, Vernon Landry, will my ability to go with girls to Floyd McKinstry.

In Witness whereof, we make this our last will and testament.

WITNESSES

) *Sue Whorrall*  
) *Mary Bartruff*





#### YEARBOOK STAFF

First Row: L. Gaylord, M. Schroeder, Mr. Thomas, R. Schneider, S. Whorrall,  
M. Sievers, M. Williams  
Second Row: M. Bartruff, M. Ekhoﬀ, V. Landry, S. Schneider, W. Sievers,  
T. Lord, S. Boicken, E. Baker



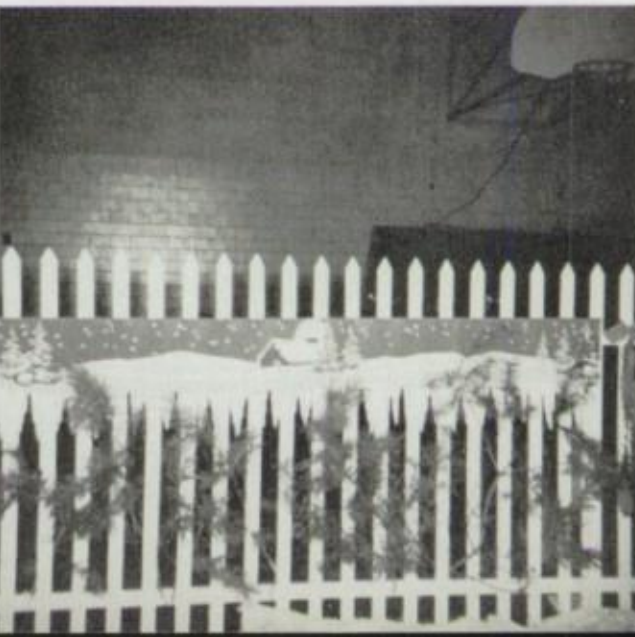
The members of the yearbook staff are all Seniors. Ronald Schneider was editor with Shirley Boicken and Stanley Schneider as co-assistant editors. Even though it meant long hours of work and ragged nerves, it was a great deal of fun putting it together. Mr. Paul M. Thomas was the sponsor.



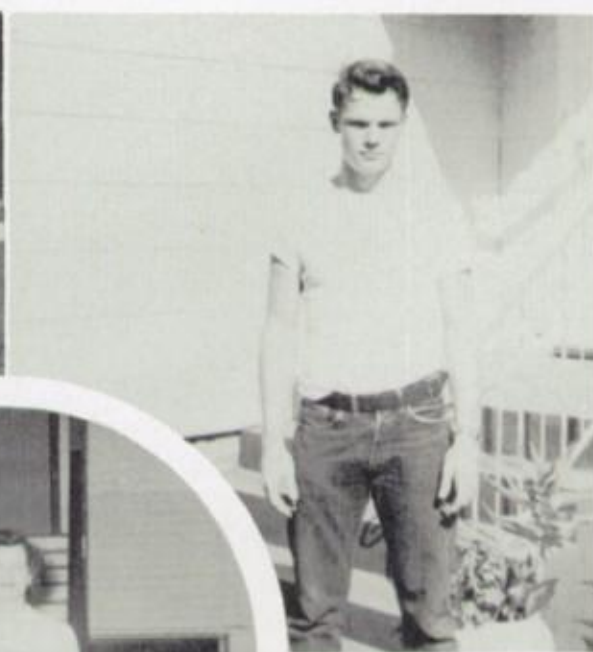




SENIORS' ALUMNI DANCE OF 1953







A real he-man

Little Shirley

Edgar

Marilyn and her dog

The two M's

tl

Where are you, Edgar?? Watch the birdie!

All caged in

Just lookin' (s.w.)  
Here I am. Vernon





Tom Lord



Mary Schroeder



Stanley Schneider



Mary Bartruff



Edgar Baker



Shirley Boicken



Marilyn Sievers



Marge Williams



Vernon Landry



Sue Whorrall

Ronald Schneider



Lucy Gaylord



Warren Sievers



# Juniors

Nor Fame I slight,  
Nor for her favors call;  
She comes unlooked for,  
If she comes at all. - Pope







#### Junior Class Officers

Darrel Trimble - President

Norma Langhorst - Treasurer

Marlene Boicken - Secretary

Floyd McKinstry - Vice President

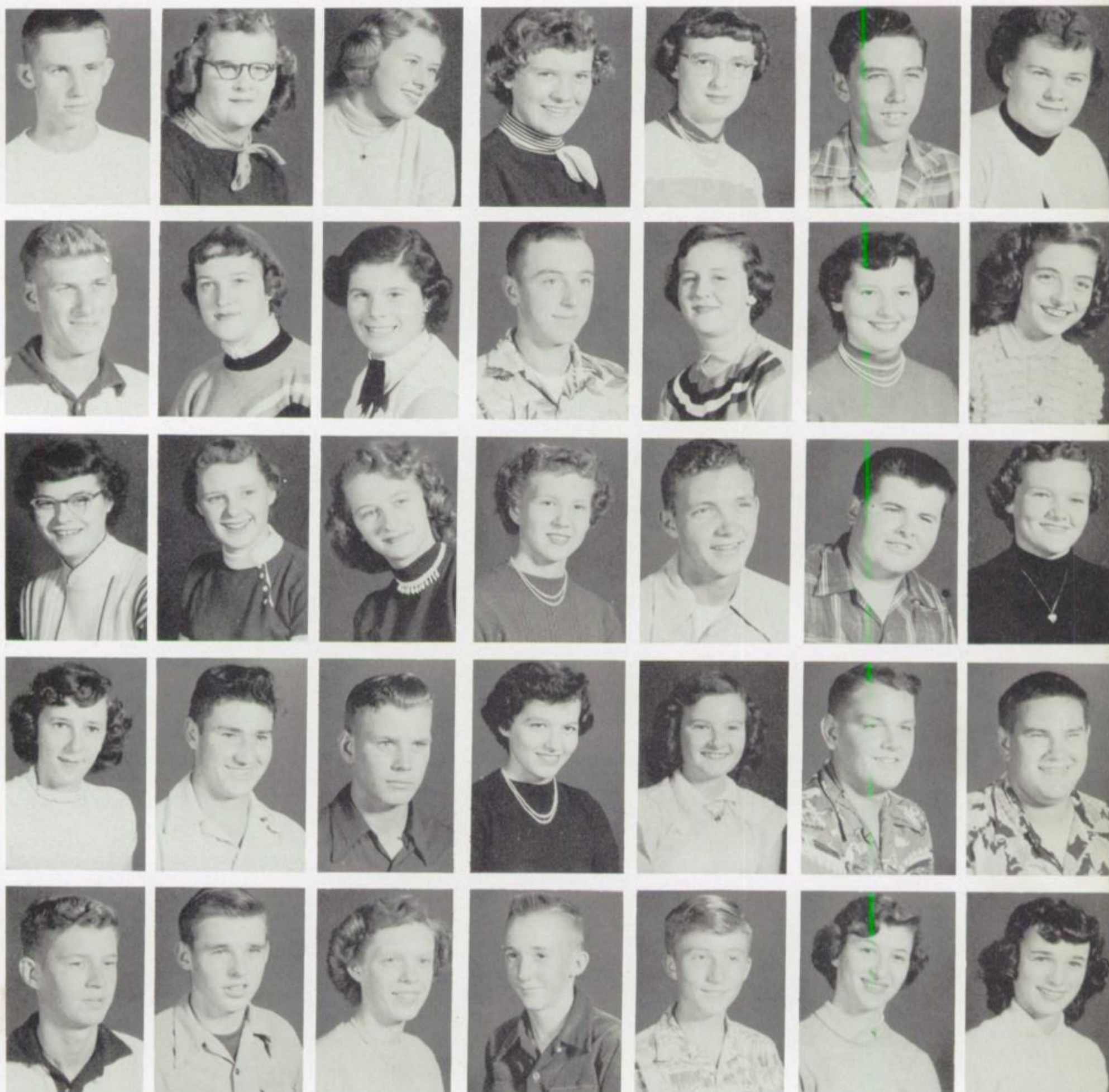
The Juniors by now were recognized as upperclassmen. The class participated in many school activities including: basketball, cheerleading, chorus, band, F. H. A., F. F. A., Press Club, and G. A. A. The Junior Class was the largest class with a total of thirty-seven members.

The Junior Class play "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" was a big success. The magazine sales campaign was another money-making project which added greatly to the treasury. The class officers were:

President--Darrel Trimble  
Vice president--Floyd McKinstry  
Secretary--Marlene Boicken  
Treasurer--Norma Langhorst

The class advisors were: Miss Barbara Garber, Miss Neva Buckley, and Mr. Paul M. Thomas.





|              |              |                |                |            |              |              |
|--------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|------------|--------------|--------------|
| P. Ayres     | M. Becker    | M. L. Blair    | D. Boicken     | M. Boicken | S. Cowger    | D. Franke    |
| V. Frahm     | E. Frick     | J. Graf        | E. Guritz      | L. Haase   | A. Hackl     | E. Hamann    |
| C. Howard    | A. Jurgerson | J. Katz        | N. Langhorst   | J. Loitz   | F. McKinstry | S. Ohm       |
| J. Preussner | G. Raetz     | G. Ritter      | W. Sabo        | P. Schmidt | A. Schroeder | R. Schaepppe |
| D. Scott     | R. Spry      | P. Stolzenbach | L. Thorne, Jr. | D. Trimble | N. Vagt      | K. Whorrall  |





Workin' hard, Marlene?  
Just thinkin' (m.b. & g.b.)  
Norma  
Be careful, girls.

Sittin' by the window  
That chemistry class again  
Carol?? What are you looking for?  
Nan and Kathy Sittin pretty

Ain't love grand?  
Jr. boys  
Isn't he cute?  
Goin' fishin' so  
What's up Doc?



# Sophomores

*We ought neither to fasten our  
ship to one small anchor  
nor our life to a single  
hope — Epictetus*







#### Sophomore Class Officers

Janice Schroeder - President

Joyce Eckhoff - Vice President

Patsy Bartruff - Treasurer

Marilyn Grimes - Secretary

Some of the newness has worn off, but not the excitement. The sophomore year is not just a repetition of the first. Every year is unique with its own memorable experiences.

The Sophomore girls organized the B. B. B. Club. This class was also active in school activities. The class of twenty-eight members elected Janice Schroeder, president; Joyce Eckhoff, vice president; Patsy Bartruff, treasurer; and Marilyn Grimes, secretary.

The advisors were: Miss Helen Nissen, and Mr. Warren Zimmerman.





D. Balgemann  
J. Eckhoff  
H. Lawrence  
S. Schmidt  
D. Whorrall

P. Bartruff  
J. Eilers  
J. Lawrence  
J. Schroeder  
A. Wiersema

D. Cox  
B. Caylord  
S. Luster  
A. Stolzenbach  
J. Wilder

T. Cuthrell  
M. Grimes  
J. Ohlenkamp  
S. Sutton  
D. Younger

R. Dexter  
T. Hoekstra  
J. Pike  
J. Trubach

R. Dionne  
R. Huesing  
D. Rose  
D. Wallace





Come team lets go!

Aren't we cute?

Off to town

Why the jeans?

Hi, David.  
Headhunters

This a surprise, no?

That was a funny one

Smile pretty

The old gang

We'll have chicken, please.  
Watch the birdie Nice pose

Look at me, Mom.

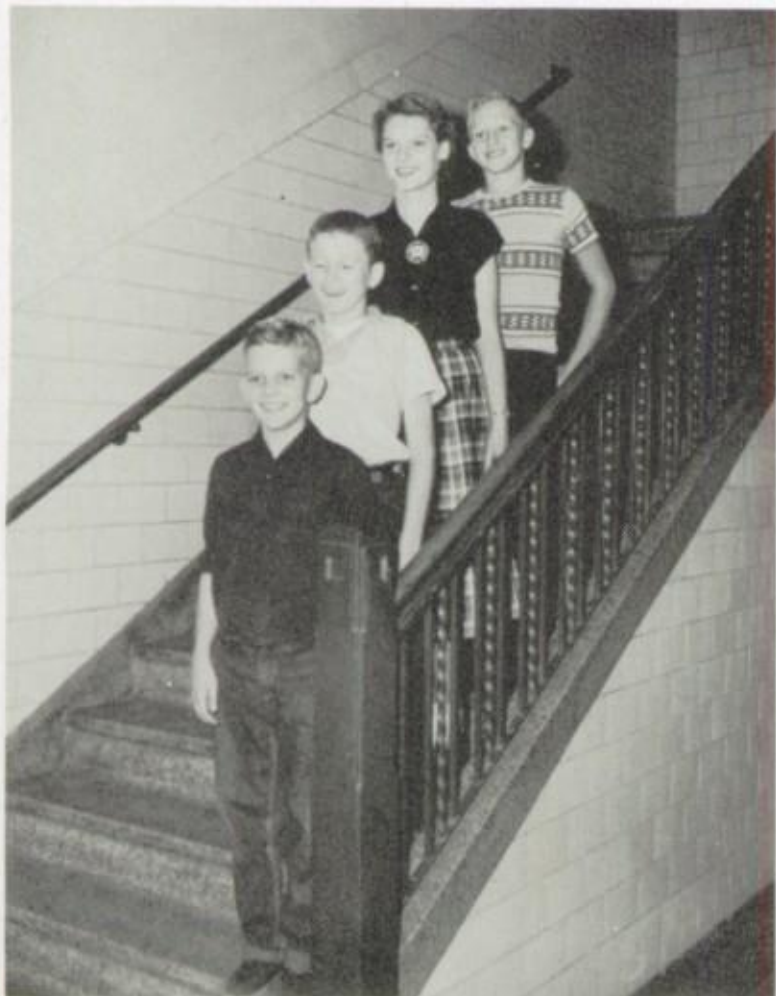


# Freshmen

Consider the postage stamp,  
my son It secures success  
through its ability to stick  
to one thing till it gets  
there. — Josh Billings







#### Freshmen Class Officers

Clifford Holtz - President

Buvid Struple - Treasurer

Jeannine Buhr - Secretary

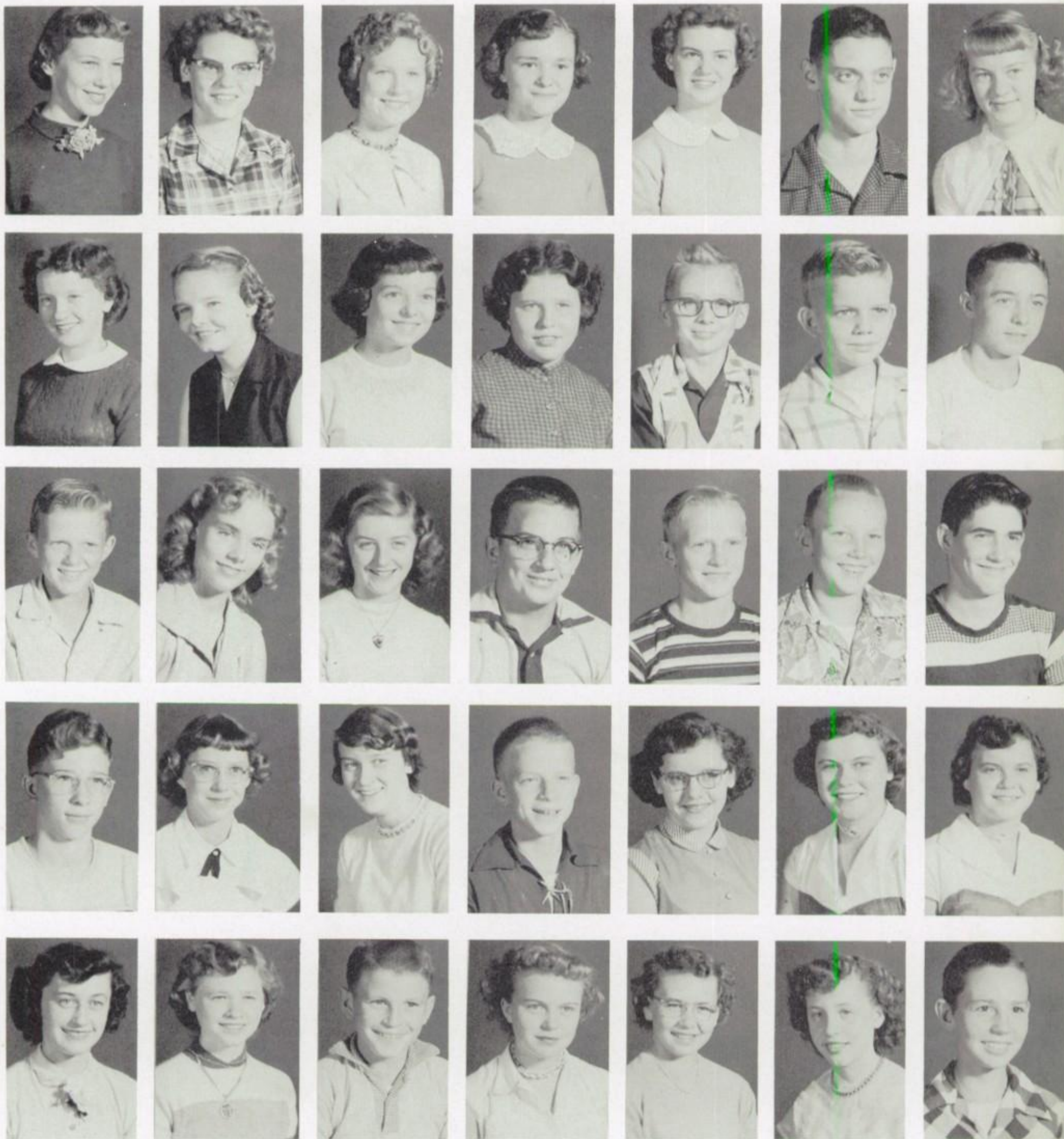
Lyle Lehnert - Vice President

The beginning freshman finds himself surrounded by activities to attend and bombarded by clubs to join. Everything is new and exciting in the freshman year. Everyone is enthusiastic. New interests are taken up. New friendships are formed.

The freshmen were active in basketball, press club, G. A. A., F. H. A., Chorus, Band. Their officers were: Clifford Holtz, president; Buvid Struple, treasurer; Jeannine Buhr, Secretary; Lyle Lehnert, Vice president. There were thirty-six members in the Freshmen Class.

Their advisors were: Miss Ruth Small and Mr. Gilbert Hamann.





|            |            |               |              |               |               |              |
|------------|------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| J. Boicken | J. Buhr    | E. Cirks      | N. Engelking | M. Esson      | H. Feddeler   | D. Franke    |
| M. Gaylord | L. Hamann  | M. Hamann     | R. Hayden    | B. Heldt      | C. Holtz      | W. Howard    |
| R. Jones   | M. Keen    | N. Kereszturi | R. Kutemeier | L. Lehnert    | P. Lohmann    | D. Love      |
| F. Meyer   | E. Mueller | J. Raetz      | M. Reaman    | J. Rosenbrook | S. Schneider  | S. Schneider |
| D. Smith   | B. Stadt   | B. Struple    | S. Sullivan  | L. Temme      | B. Van Der Aa | J. VanDyke   |





G. A. A. Initiation  
Mutt & Jeff  
Tickets, please

Freshies being initiated  
Pajama Queen  
How does it taste?

Aren't we cute?  
Will you marry me?  
Sing us a song



# Activities

*Friendship is the only  
cement that will ever  
hold the world together*

*Woodrow Wilson*







## GIRLS' CHORUS

First Row--E. Frick

Second Row--M. Keen, J. Graf, S. Sutton, D. Wallace, S. Schneider, S. Boicken, R. Hayden, L. Temme, M. Hamann, A. Jurgerson, W. Sabo, M. Blair, B. Van de ra

Third Row--M. Gaylord, L. Gaylord, A. Wiersema, K. Whorrall, N. Engelking, J. Pike, P. Schmidt



First Row--B. VanDera, M. Gaylord, M. Blair, W. Sabo, Miss Buckley, E. Frick, D. Wallace, N. Engleking

Second Row--L. Gaylord, S. Sutton, P. Schmidt, L. Temmee, M. Hamann, S. Schneider, M. Keen, A. Wiersema, S. Schmidt, S. Schneider, B. Gaylord, J. Prussener, J. Graf, R. Hayden, K. Whorrall, A. Jurgerson

Third Row--E. Mueller, M. Becker, D. Younger, J. Eckhoff, J. Schroeder, M. Williams, E. Hamann, S. Whorrall, M. Sievers, M. Esson, L. Hamann, P. Bartruff, D. Rose, L. Haase, R. Dexter, J. Rosenbrock

Fourth Row--J. Pike, J. Raetz, No Langhorst, D. Franke, S. Sullivan, J. Boicken, A. Hackl, M. Boicken, S. Boicken, J. Katz, D. Smith, J. Buhr, M. Bartruff, B. Stadt, D. Franke, J. Lawrence, D. Boicken, N. Vagt, A. Eilers





First Row: C. Holtz, R. Jones, B. Struple, F. Meyer, R. Huesing, E. Frick, Miss Buckley, P. Lohmann, J. Van Dyke, M. Reaman.  
 Second Row: J. Preussner, S. Schmidt, J. Rosenbrock, M. Becker, R. Dexter, M. Williams, M. Sievers, E. Hamann, S. Whorrall, P. Bartruff, M. Esson, L. Hamann, L. Haase, D. Mueller, S. Schneider, B. Gaylord  
 Third Row: N. Langhorst, D. Younger, J. Eckhoff, D. Boicken, D. Franke, S. Sullivan, J. Lawrence, M. Bartruff, A. Hackl, J. Boicken, B. Stadt, D. Franke, N. Vagt, J. Schroeder, D. Rose, A. Eilers, J. Raetz  
 Fourth Row: J. Buhr, D. Smith, W. Sabo, H. Lawrence, E. Guritz, H. Feddler, T. Hoekstra, F. McKinstry, A. Schroeder, V. Frahm, G. Ritter, S. Cowger, S. Luster, R. Spry, L. Thorne, J. Katz, M. Boicken

#### MIXED CHORUS

The mixed chorus was composed of 85 boys and girls. They gave a Christmas Concert and attended a festival in the Spring. The Boys' quartet was composed of Myron Reaman, Gary Ritter, Bob Schweppe, and Sidney Cowger. Members of the Girls' quartet were Sharon Schneider, Marilyn Sievers, Marlene Boicken, and Evelyn Frick. Some of the members participated in the music contest.





#### DANCE BAND

First Row: M. Boicken, S. Sutton, S. Ohm,  
J. Bohl, S. Struple, Miss Buckley  
Second Row: S. Schneider, M. Reaman,  
D. Trimble, F. McKinstry  
Third Row: S. Boicken

#### Baton Twirlers

Janice Bohl  
Marlene Hamann, Shirley Schneider, Sharon Schneider



#### BAND

First Row: E. Hamann, S. Ohm, J. Schroeder, J. Eckhoff, J. Lawrence,  
E. Frick, L. Lawrence, E. Trimble, J. Graf, R. Hayden, M. Hamann,  
P. Reeg.  
Second Row: J. Ohlenkamp, D. Schneider, M. Esson, J. Boicken, D. Smith,  
K. Heldt, H. Lawrence, S. Sutton, S. Struple, J. Bohl, A. Wieresma,  
L. Hamann, J. Trubach, S. Sullivan, S. Luster, J. Loitz, M. Reaman,  
D. Trimble.  
Third Row: R. Huesing, S. Schneider, D. Lawrence, K. Korthauer, C. Mussman,  
K. Goers, T. Homann, J. Buhr, M. Sutton, M. Boicken, Miss Buckley,  
J. Katz, A. Schroeder, S. Schneider, B. Huesing, B. Struple, D. Baker,  
F. McKinstry.





### F. F. A.

First Row: A. Kutemeier, R. Spry, J. Loitz,  
A. Schroeder, G. Ritter, F. McKinstry,  
Mr. Zimmerman

Second Row: R. Kutemeier, L. Lehnert,  
D. Trimble, R. Dionne, J. Raetz,  
E. Guritz, H. Feddler, D. Love,  
J. Van Dyke, M. Reaman, C. Holtz



### F. F. A.

The F. F. A. consisted of 17 members. The officers were: President, Allen Schroeder; Vice president, John Loitz; Secretary, Gary Ritter; Treasurer, Floyd McKinstry; Reporter, Roger Spry; Sponsor, Mr. Zimmerman. Some of the various activities they participated in were: Building a program of work for the year; Practicing parliamentary procedure; and practicing public speaking.

### F. H. A.

There were 47 members in the F. H. A. The officers were: President, Wilma Sabo; Vice president, Lorna Haase; Secretary, Marlene Boicken; Treasurer, Norma Langhorst; Historian, Shirley Boicken; Parliamentarian, Amelia Hackl; Reporter, Elaine Hamann. Miss Helen Nissen was the sponsor. Some of the activities were a King Contest, F. H. A. Carnival, and packing boxes for servicemen.

### F. H. A.

First Row: M. Gaylord, B. Van Der Aa, A. Wieresma, W. Sabo, A. Eilers,  
S. Sutton, Miss Niessen, A. Jurgerson, M. Blair, N. Engelking,  
J. Ohlenkamp.

Second Row: P. Bartruff, R. Dexter, M. Hamann, R. Hayden, K. Whorrall,  
S. Schmidt, E. Muller, L. Haase, M. Sievers, M. Williams, L. Hamann,  
J. Graf, M. Becker, J. Rosenbrock, J. Preussner, L. Temme, P. Schmidt,  
D. Wallace.

Third Row: J. Schroeder, J. Eckhoff, E. Hamann, N. Vagt, D. Franke,  
C. Howard, M. Bartruff, M. Boicken, S. Boicken, J. Katz, E. Frick,  
J. Trubach, E. Hackl, D. Boicken, N. Langhorst, J. Boicken, S. Sullivan,  
J. Raetz, S. Ohm, J. Lawrence.







G.  
A.  
A.

First Row: Miss Small, C. Howard, S. Whorrall, D. Wallace, R. Hayden,  
A. Jurgerson, J. Ohlenkamp  
Second Row: M. Keen, L. Gaylord, M. Gaylord, L. Temme, B. Van Der Aa,  
J. Preussner, J. Blair, K. Whorrall  
Third Row: D. Younger, D. Rose, P. Bartruff, J. Schroeder, J. Eckhoff,  
R. Dexter, A. Wieresma, S. Sutton, S. Schmidt  
Fourth Row: N. Vagt, D. Franke, J. Buhr, M. Bartruff, D. Smith, J. Katz,  
D. Franke, S. Sullivan, B. Stadt, M. Esson

G. A. A.

G. A. A. is composed of thirty-five girls. They have gathered to promote interest and participation in girls sports and to encourage good sportsmanship in all phases of living. G. A. A. tournaments were held in popular team sports such as basketball, volleyball, and baseball. Play-days and workshops were attended at other schools. A carnival and Mother-Daughter Banquet were given in the Spring. The girls also went bowling and swimming for six weeks each. Miss Ruth Small was their advisor. Officers in G. A. A. were: President, Sue Whorrall; Vice president, Carol Howard; Secretary, Donna Wallace; Treasurer, Ruth Hayden; Point Checker, Alice Jurgerson; Reporter, Sharon Ohm.

#### STUDENT COUNCIL

The main function of the Student Council is to discuss any problems of any sort that may arise. Officers of the Student Council were: President, Ronald Schneider; Vice President, Stanley Schneider; and Secretary-Treasurer, Edgar Baker.

#### STUDENT COUNCIL

First Row: J. Schroeder, D. Trimble,  
M. Grimes, C. Holtz, S. Ohm,  
S. Schneider, Mr. Johnson, J. Eckhoff,  
L. Lehnert, S. Whorrall, P. Bartruff  
Second Row: A. Schroeder, N. Langhorst,  
F. McKinstry, M. Boicken, R. Schneider,  
W. Sabo, B. Struple, M. Williams,  
E. Baker, L. Gaylord







First Row; M. Grimes, D. Boicken, E. Frick, J. Buhr, C. Holtz, M. Reaman,  
J. VanDyck, P. Lohmann, H. Feddler, B. Struple, H. Lawrence, L. Lehnert,  
T. Lord, R. Schneider, S. Schneider.

Second Row; J. Trubach, S. Sutton, R. Dexter, R. Hayden, M. Hamann, J. Boicken,  
J. Rosenbrock, S. Schneider, D. Franke, B. Stadt, M. Esson, L. Temme,  
E. Muller, N. Engleking, S. Sullivan, J. Raetz.

Third Row; J. Lawrence, D. Christian, N. Keseszturi, L. Hamann, D. Smith,  
M. Schroeder, L. Gaylord, S. Boicken, M. Bartruff, M. Williams, S. Schneider,  
E. Cirks, B. Van Der Aa, M. Gaylord, J. Pike, D. Younger.

Fourth Row; B. Jones, S. Luster, J. Raetz, L. Thorne, D. Trimble, M. Becker,  
N. Langhorst, A. Hackle, W. Sabo, L. Haase, M. Boicken, V. Frahm, E. Hamann,  
M. Sievers, J. Schroeder, R. Dionne.

Fifth Row; D. Whorrall, F. Meyer, R. Kutemeier, E. Baker, J. Loitz, W. Sievers,  
A. Kutemeier, A. Schroeder, D. Franke, K. Whorrall, D. Rose, A. Wieresma,  
J. Ohlenkamp, S. Schmidt, B. Gaylord, A. Stolzenbach.

Sixth Row; D. Scott, B. Schweppe, E. Guritz, G. Ritter, R. Spy, R. McKinstry,  
S. Cowger, P. Ayres, J. Graff, J. Katz, A. Jurgeson, M. Eckhoff, C. Howard,  
S. Ohm, V. Landry.

Seventh Row; D. Balgemann, D. Love, W. Howard, R. Huesing, D. Cox, J. Wilder,  
J. Preussner, P. Stolzenbach, P. Schmidt, M. Blair, J. Eilers, J. Eckhoff,  
D. Wallace, P. Bartruff.

#### PEP CLUB

At the first Pep Club meeting, November 20, Mary Schroeder was elected president. The Pep Club meets before every game, whether at home or away. This is one club which the whole school belongs.





Lucy Gaylord



Elaine Hamann



Sue Whorrall



Wilma Sabo







The Senior Class Play "My Little Margie" was a great success. It was given April 23 and 24. The cast included:

|                        |                   |
|------------------------|-------------------|
| Margie Albright.....   | Lucy Gaylord      |
| Vern Albright.....     | Stanley Schneider |
| Roberta.....           | Shirley Boicken   |
| Freddie.....           | Edgar Baker       |
| Bill.....              | Vernon Landry     |
| Miss Sherman.....      | Marilyn Sievers   |
| Mr. Honeywell.....     | Ronald Schneider  |
| Mrs. Odetts.....       | Mary Schroeder    |
| Sir. Saiyid Nasif..... | Tom Lord          |
| The Assassin.....      | Warren Sievers    |
| The Nurse.....         | Marge Williams    |
| Madame Nasif.....      | Sue Whorrall      |

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#### Stage Managers

Mary Bartruff

Marvin Ekhooff

#### Director

Mr. Paul M. Thomas







"OUR  
HEARTS  
YOUNG  
AND  
GAY"



JUNIOR PLAY

The Junior Play was given November 13 and 14. The name of the play was "Our Hearts were Young and Gay." It was a three act comedy which took place in the early twenties. The play concerned the sparkling and exuberant escapades of two delightful girls, Cornelia Otis Skinner and Emily Kimbrough who were determined to prove how mature and cosmopolitan they could be on an uproarious and charming trip to Europe. The play was under the direction of Mr. Paul Thomas.

The cast were as follows:

|                             |                 |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Steward .....               | Don Scott       |
| Mr s. Skinner .....         | Evelyn Frick    |
| Cornelia Otis Skinner ..... | Jean Katz       |
| Otis Skinner .....          | Floyd McKinstry |
| Emily Kimbrough .....       | Wilma Sabo      |
| Purser .....                | Louis Thorne    |
| Stewardess .....            | Elaine Hamann   |
| Dick Winters .....          | Darrel Trimble  |
| Admiral .....               | Allen Schroeder |
| Harriet St. John .....      | Sharon Ohm      |
| Winifred Blaugh .....       | Marlene Boicken |
| Leo McEvoy .....            | Gary Ritter     |
| Inspector .....             | Nancy Vagt      |
| Therese .....               | Kathy Whorrall  |
| Madame Elise .....          | Norma Langhorst |
| Monsieur De La Croix .....  | Phil Ayres      |
| Window Cleaner .....        | Jerry Raetz     |







# "MOONLIGHT AND ROSES"

'53 Prom





# D. A. R. Award



Miss Shirley Boicken was chosen from the Senior Class as the D. A. R. representative from Grant Park. The purpose of this project is to build youthful character and to call attention to those qualities which are desirable in good citizenship. Dependability, service, leadership and patriotism are the qualities upon which the award is based.

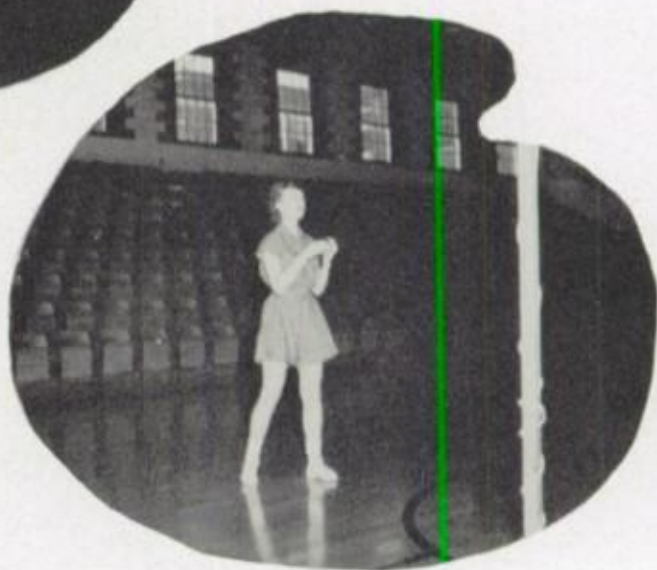
During Shirley's four years at Grant, she has been in the band, 1 year; dance band, 1 year; Chorus, 4 years; G. A. A., 2 years; F. H. A., 3 years; parliamentarian 3, historian 4; librarian, 4 years; junior-editor of the Grantonian her junior year; associate-editor of the Year-book her senior year; Press Club, 1 year; and supporting roles in both the junior and senior class plays.

On February 20, a tea was held in honor of the girls who won the award throughout the county at the new addition of the Governor Small's Memorial, Kankakee. Shirley was eligible to attend a meeting at the Drake Hotel, Chicago, March 9.

Shirley's plans for the future are indefinite.



# A Day at School







## PRESS CLUB

First Row: M. Bartruff, D. Trimble, M. Williams, T. Lord, S. Whorrall, V. Landry, S. Boicken, S. Schneider, M. Sievers, M. Esson, B. Stadt, M. Ekhoﬀ, M. Schroeder, R. Dexter  
 Second Row: L. Gaylord, Mr. Thomas, E. Baker, R. Schneider, P. Ayres, Miss Garber

## PRESS CLUB

The Press Club was organized in September, 1953. At the first meeting, a formal initiation was held and a charter was drawn up for each member to sign. All of the Seniors, plus five under-classmen, are members. Their sponsors were Miss Barbara Garber and Mr. Paul Thomas. The officers were: President, Ronald Schneider; Vice president, Tom Lord; Secretary, Marilyn Sievers; Treasurer, Mary Bartruff.

The purpose of the Press Club is to develop better journalistic practices in publishing the newspaper and yearbook.

Some of the activities for the year were: Meeting once a month; Christmas Party at Teibel's; Dance in February; Seeing "The Robe" in Chicago; and Banquet at the end of the school year.

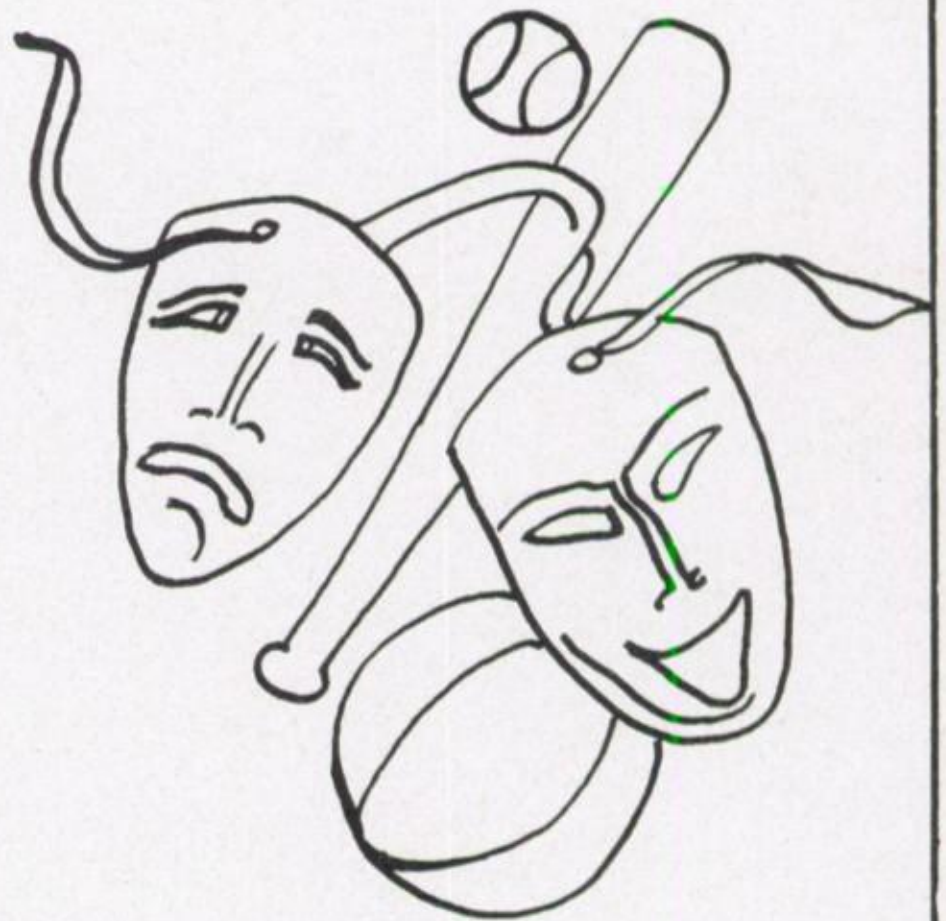




# Athletics

*Pessimism is only the  
name that men of weak  
nerves give to wisdom.*

*— Bernard De Voto*







Coach Metzger, R. Heusing, B. Struple,  
L. Lehnert, D. Love, H. Feddeler,  
S. Luster, R. Kutemeier, M. Reaman,  
P. Lohmann  
F. Meyer, T. Hoekstra, A. Schroeder,  
P. Ayres, G. Ritter, W. Howard



J. Loitz, A. Schroeder, P. Ayres,  
V. Frahm, G. Ritter  
V. Landry, T. Lord, W. Sievers,  
S. Schneider, E. Baker

Solid team play and a well balanced scoring attack were the major factors in compiling a 14 won, 14 lost record for the season. The most outstanding accomplishment of the season came with the winning of second place in the K. V. C. tournament.

The Regulars were:

**TOM LORD:** Senior, forward, an excellent rebounder, a tough defensive man, and consistent scorer. Tom's winning spirit on team play was a major factor.

**WARREN SIEVERS:** Senior, forward, an excellent rebounder and a consistent scorer. Warren was the top free thrower for the year.

**STAN SCHNEIDER:** Senior, center, an excellent rebounder. Stan made up for his lack of experience with hard work and determination.

**VERNON LANDRY:** Senior, guard, a tough defensive man and a good play maker. Vernon's spirit and determination made up for lack of experience.

**EDGAR BAKER:** Senior, guard, small but mighty. Ed was a solid re-server and when moved into a regular slot, he proved his worth well.

**JOHN LOITZ:** Junior, guard, a top defensive man, a good shot, and an excellent rebounder. John's steady ballplaying was a great asset this year and will be next year also.

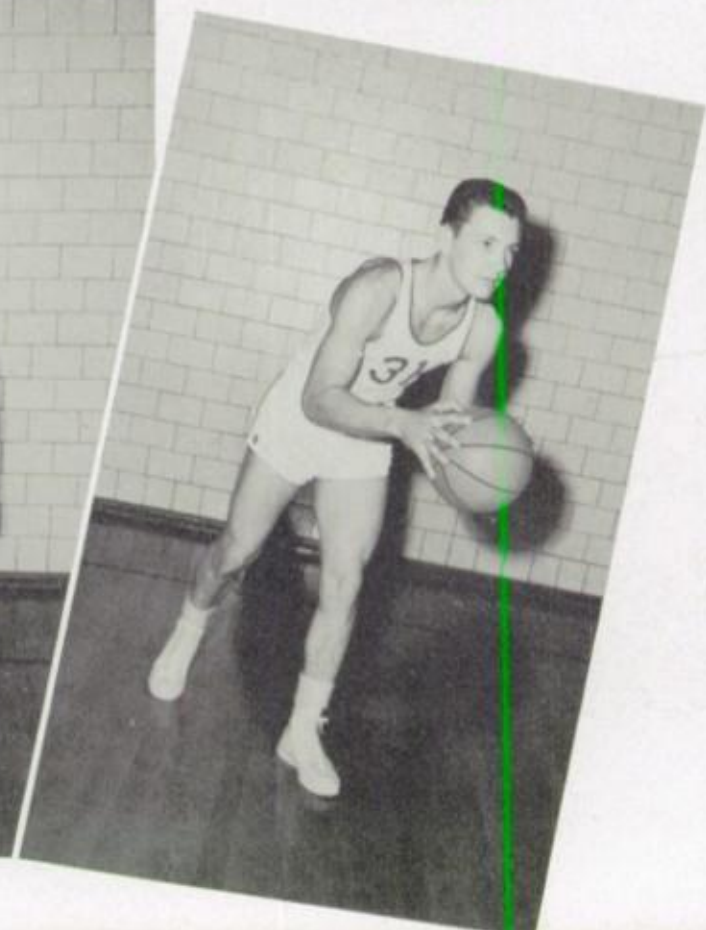
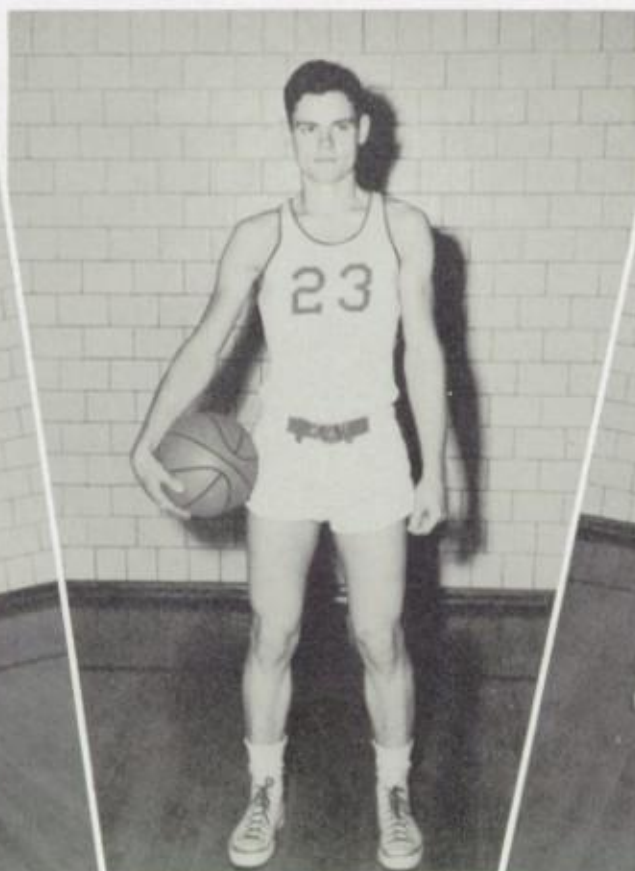
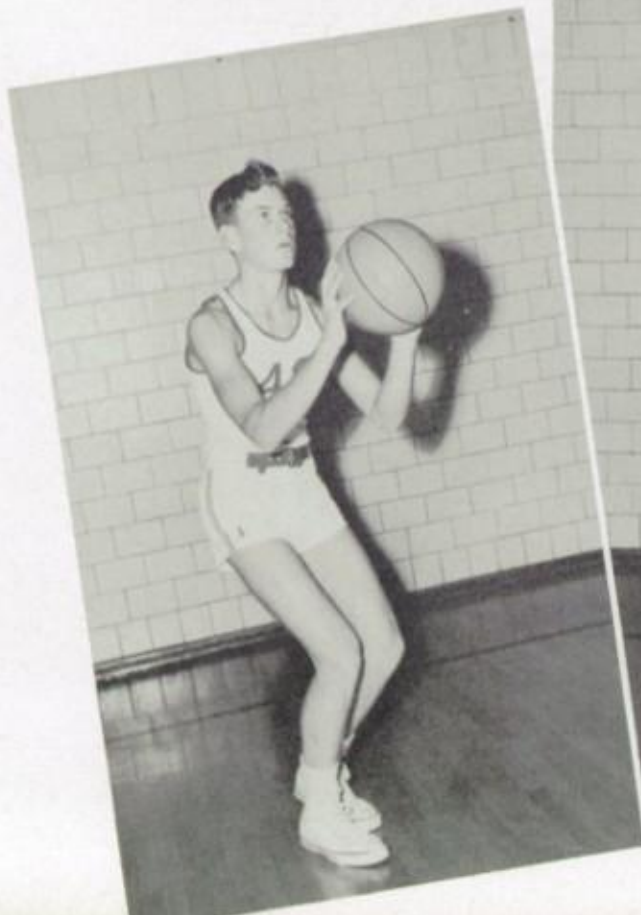
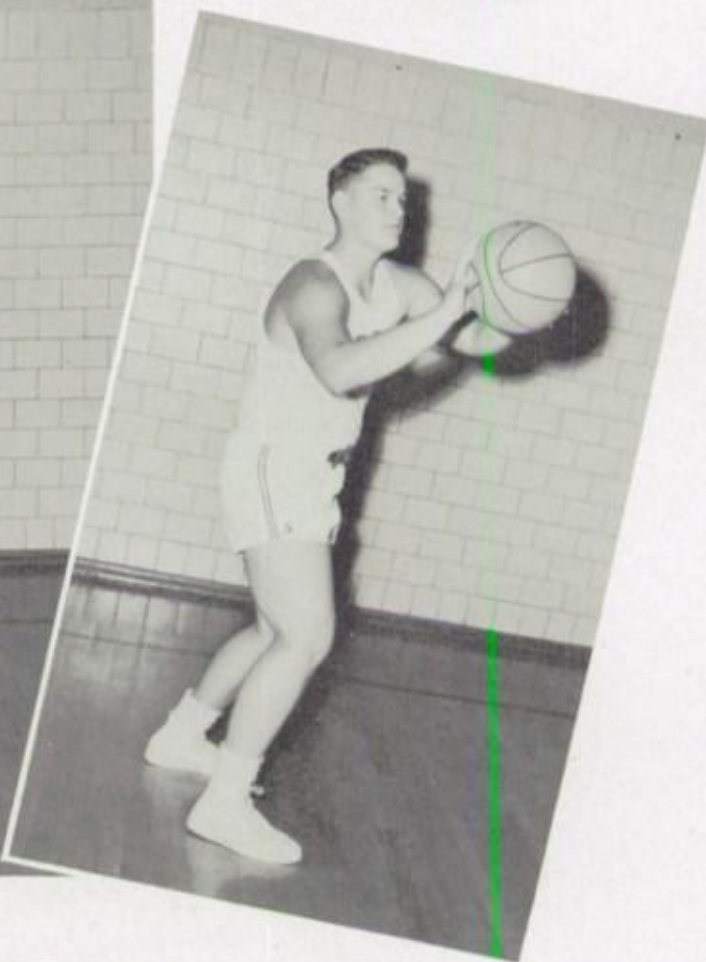
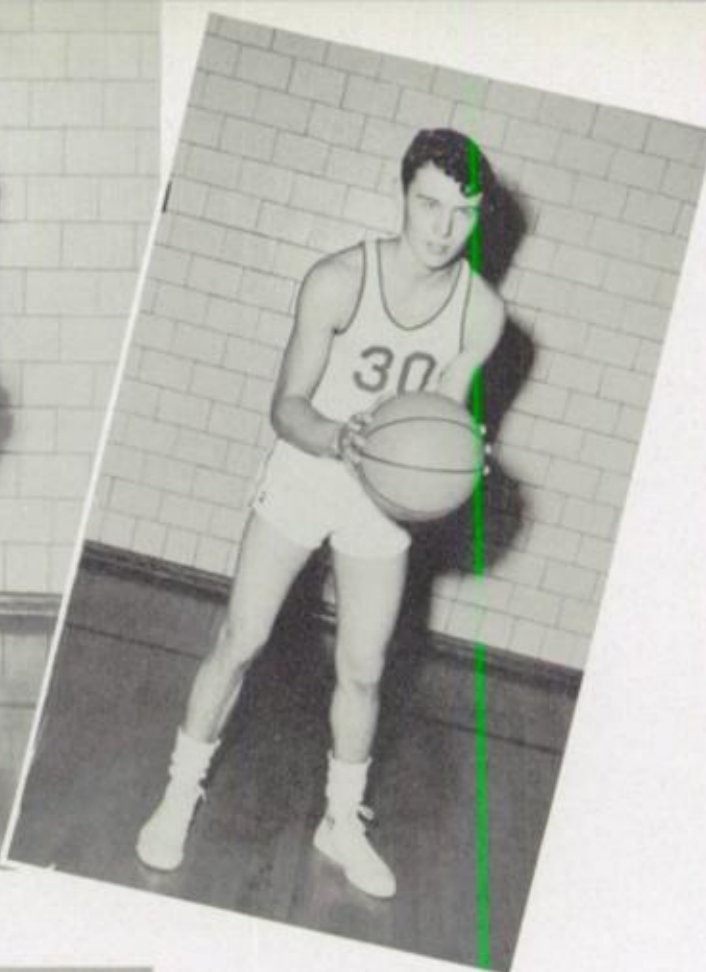
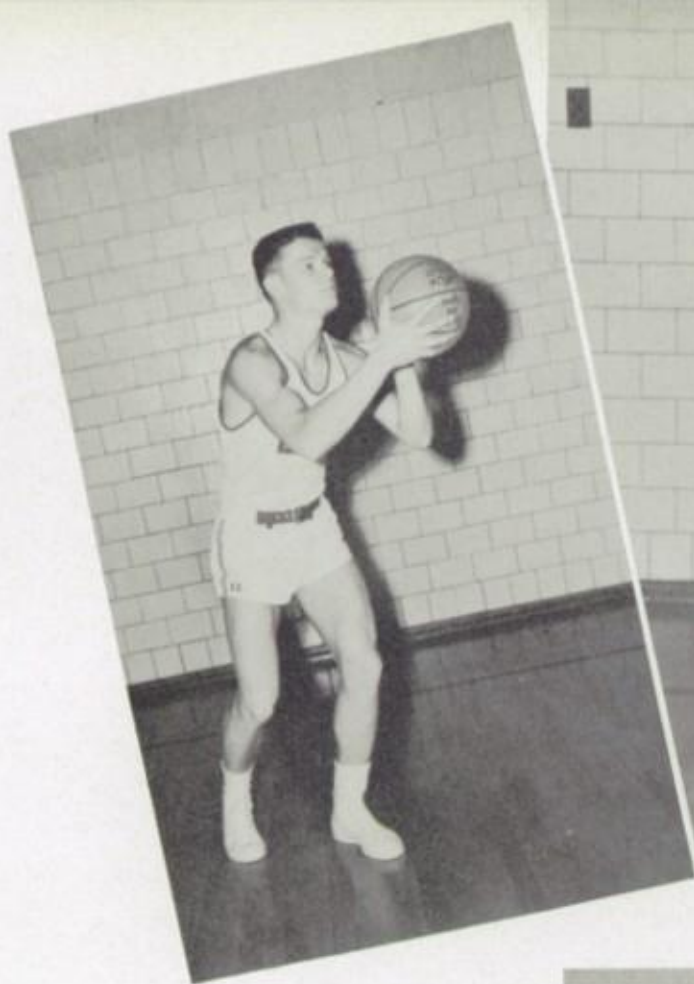
**VIC FRAHM.** Junior, Jack of all trades. Vic operated well at all three positions this year and his experience should be a helpful next year.

The lightweights won 8 and lost 12. They demonstrated their ability to absorb the tough breaks and cash in on the good ones.



Presentation of trophy









#### BASEBALL TEAM

Front Row: A. Schroeder, E. Baker, T. Lord, V. Landry, J. Loitz, B. Schweppe,  
F. McKinstry  
Second Row: M. Reaman, V. Frahm, P. Ayres, W. Howard, G. Ritter, R. Schneider,  
F. Meyers  
Third Row: D. Love, R. Kutemeier, B. Struple, S. Luster, P. Lohmann, L. Thorne,  
D. Scott, H. Lawrence, M. Lehnert, B. Jones, W. Smith, D. Cox, Coach Metzger

The 1953 baseball team consisted of Lord and Landry as pitchers; Baker at third base; Schneider, catching; Frahm, Schroeder, Howard, Ritter, performing all out-field duties; with Ayres filling in as a reserve.

The Fall season's record consisted of two wins and two losses. In the coming Spring, with added experience from the Fall, and an expected addition in player personnel, a definite improvement and a much better record is expected.

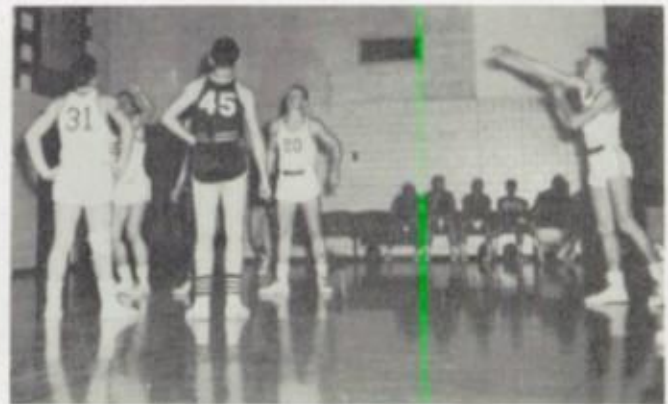




Where did it go?



We're off



Where's the ball



There it is



Going up



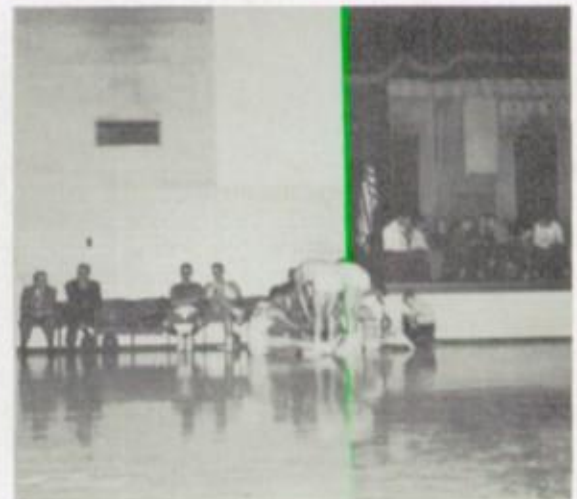
What, gone again?



Phil



Goodnight boys!!



Huddle



Poise



Look good



Clifford's peeking





Pre-game warm up

Some instructions

Happy first baseman

Perfect stance

Vern

What's the pitch????

Gary

The team

The gang's all here



"WHO'S WHO"

| NAME              | CHARACTERISTIC  | AMBITION                         | NICKNAME | SONG                          | HOBBY               | PET EXPRESSION          |
|-------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|----------|-------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|
| Shirley Boicken   | Always smiling  | Secretary                        | Shirl    | Don't Forget to Write         | Dancing             | "Nice going."           |
| Lucy Gaylord      | Cheerfulness    | Secretary                        | Renie    | Till We Two Are One           | Drawing             | "What?"                 |
| Edgar Baker       | Curly Hair      | Farmer                           | Eddie    | You, You, You                 | Collecting Pennants | "How About That?"       |
| Marilyn Sievers   | Eyes            | Secretary                        | Toots    | Laughing on the Outside       | Playing the piano   | "That's different."     |
| Mary Schroeder    | Nonchalant      | Marry a base-ball player         | Marie    | Take Me Out to the Ballgame   | Baseball Scrapbook  | "I say."                |
| Mary Bartruff     | Eye Lashes      | Secretary                        | Mary     | Secret Love                   | Listening to music  | "Oh well."              |
| Martha Whorrall   | Beautiful hair  | Stenographer                     | Sue      | Loved Walked In               | Drawing             | "That would be telling" |
| Margaret Williams | Neatness        | Airline Stewardess               | Marge    | Till Then                     | Listening to music  | "Nice going."           |
| Marvin Ekhoff     | Corny jokes     | Scientific farmer                | Marv     | I Love Girls                  | Hunting arrowheads  | "Son-of-a-Gun."         |
| Vernon Landry     | Broad Shoulders | Go to college                    | Hoppy    | Undecided                     | Girls!!!            | "Ohhh, what a lie!"     |
| Thomas Lord       | To be different | Professional Industrial Engineer | Tom      | That's Amore                  | Hockey              | "You Hambone."          |
| Stanley Schneider | Curly hair      | Farmer                           | Stan     | From the Grapes Came the Wine | Collecting guns     | "Somebody goofed."      |
| Warren Sievers    | Dimples         | Truck Driver                     | Bones    | Because of You                | Cars                | "Goofball."             |
| Ronald Schneider  | Goofing off     | Farmer                           | Ace      | To Be Alone                   | Baseball            | "Nice going."           |



Girl's P. E.  
Pay attention, girls

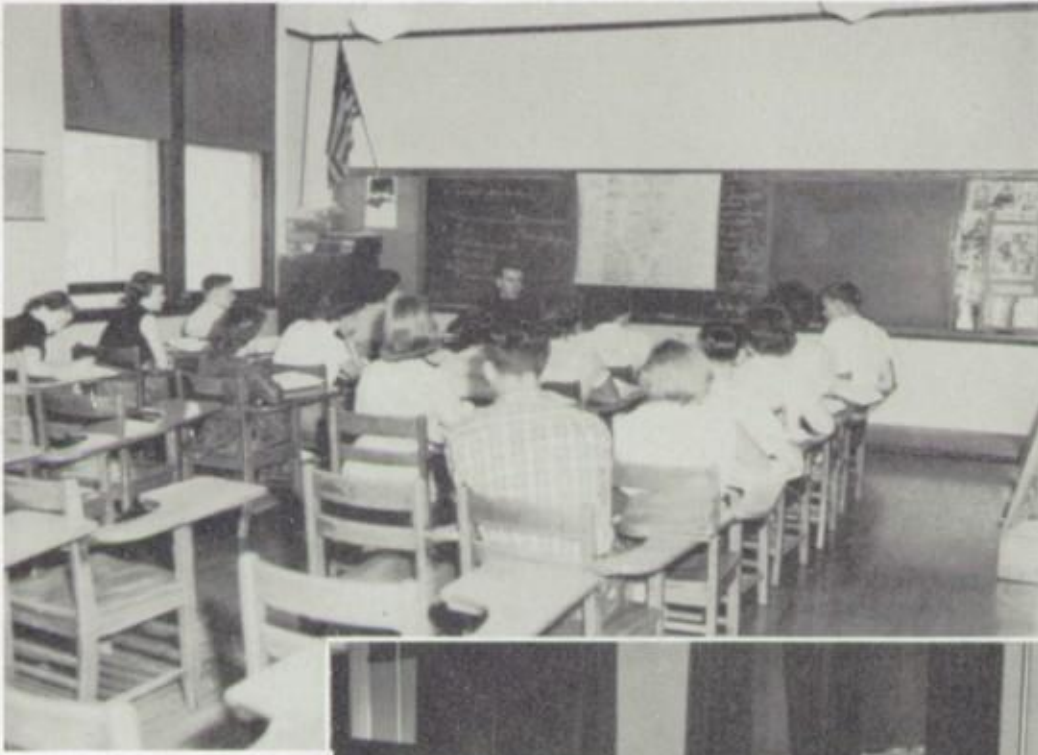


Shop  
Watch those fingers, boys



General Science  
Everyone sure is studying





General Business



Home Ec. I

Agriculture







Some of the boys

Tea time

Just watching

Stanley and Edgar

Be my valentines

Happy-go-lucky

Little rob job

Bunch up

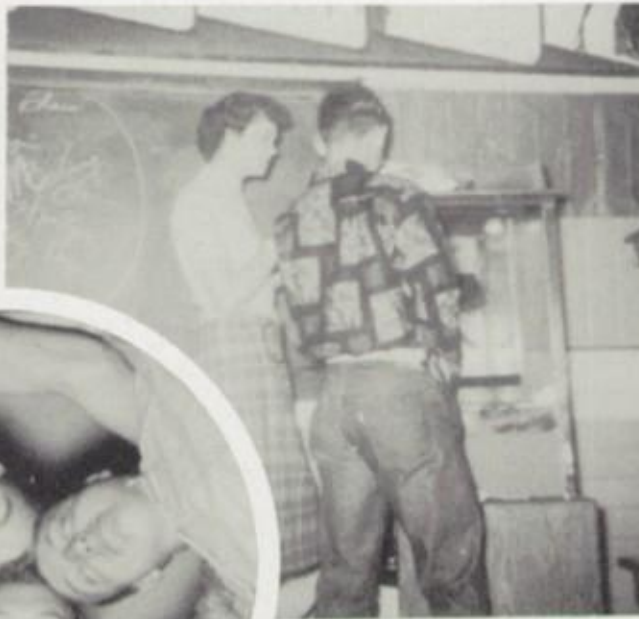
Summertime

Some fun!

Warren

Stretched out





What's this a party?

Putting in a little time

Elaine

Wheel of fortune

Absorbing a little sun

Isn't she sweet

Rehearsal

A bit of an experiment????

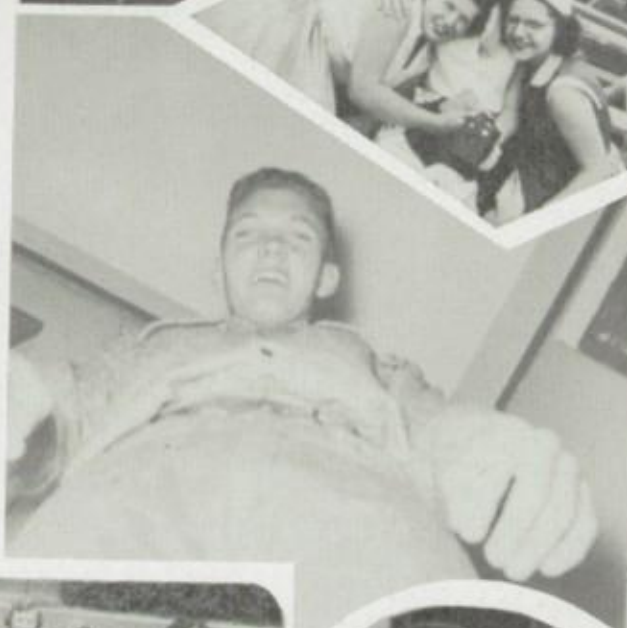
Make-up time

The end?????

Vern

The thinker??





The bunny hop

Sue

Party's getting long

Working?????

Prom work

Big John

Relaxing

Get together

Disconcerned

More make-up

Stan the man

Who's seeing double??

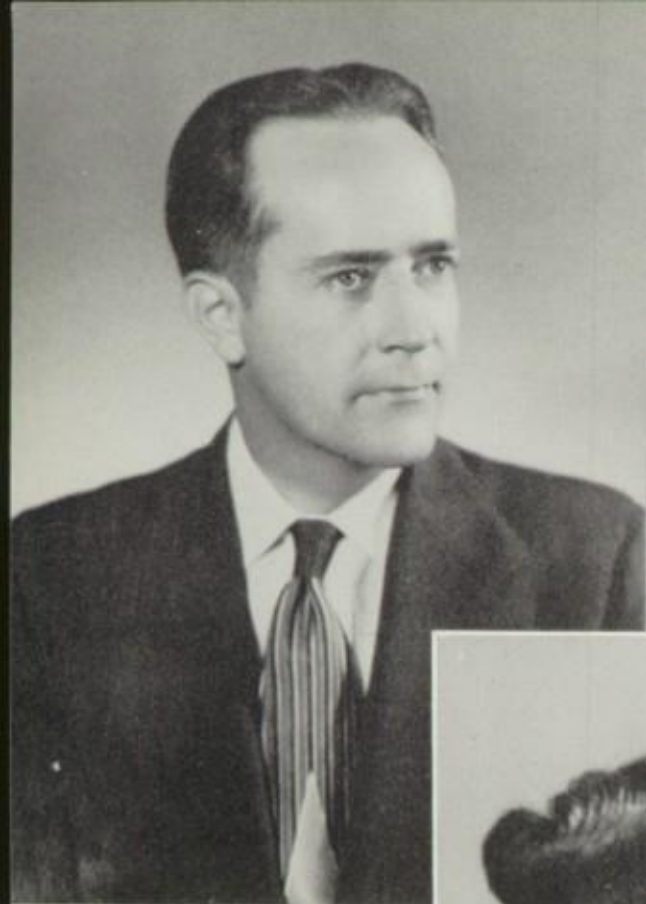


# Faculty

*Education is an ornament  
in prosperity and a  
refuge in adversity.*







Lowell M. Johnson

Superintendent  
B.Ed. I.S.N.U.  
M.A. Washington U.



Lila Stadt

Secretary  
Gallagher Business College

Take a letter, please.





## REMINISE

Sophisticated seniors they call us today,  
But that has little meaning along life's way.  
Though we've waited four long years  
At last we realize with a little fear  
That for many of us our school days are through  
And for a few of us, we'll begin college anew.

What's ahead in this world of ours?  
We will soon be the future leaders in power.  
Are we prepared to meet the task  
Of preserving peace and knowing it will last?

There are so many things we have not learned  
Too late, we see that now.  
But education need not stop today,  
On this 28th day of May.

A tinge of sadness, a quiet smile  
As we turn back to reminisce awhile  
When we first entered G. P. C. H. S.  
We were so "green" as you might well guess.

But as the first year passed and we entered our second  
We got a little "learnin'", I reckon.  
"Silly sophomores, active in school affairs  
Just a hint to the other classes to beware.

"Jolly" Juniors were we in the fall of '52  
What was ahead, no one knew.  
Prom, play, and things like that  
It was fun, and the year quickly passed.

And now as we are about to depart,  
From all the things we hold dear in our heart,  
We will remember you, G. P. C. H. S.  
And uphold your name with our best.

But let's not look back, for it will do no good  
Let's look ahead, and do as we should  
For we are "sophisticated seniors"  
Numbering fourteen, no more  
We are going to be the leaders  
Though no one knows what's in store.





Neva Buckley  
Music  
B.S. in Educ. E.I.S.C.



Barbara Garber  
Social Studies, Spanish  
B. S. in Educ. I. S. N. U.



Reta Haldorson  
English  
B.S. in Educ. N.I.S.T.C.



Gilbert Hamann

Shop, Boys P.E.  
B.S. in Educ. Olivet Naz. College



Dale Metzger  
Science, Math, Coach  
B.S. in Educ. I.S.N.U.



Helen Nissen  
Home Ec.  
B. S. in Educ. I. S. N. U.







Ruth Small  
Biology, Girl's P.E.  
B.S. in Educ. N.I.S.T.C.



Paul M. Thomas  
Commerce, Dramatics  
B.S. in Educ. E.I.S.C.  
U. of I.



Warren Zimmerman  
Voc. Agriculture  
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#### High School Board

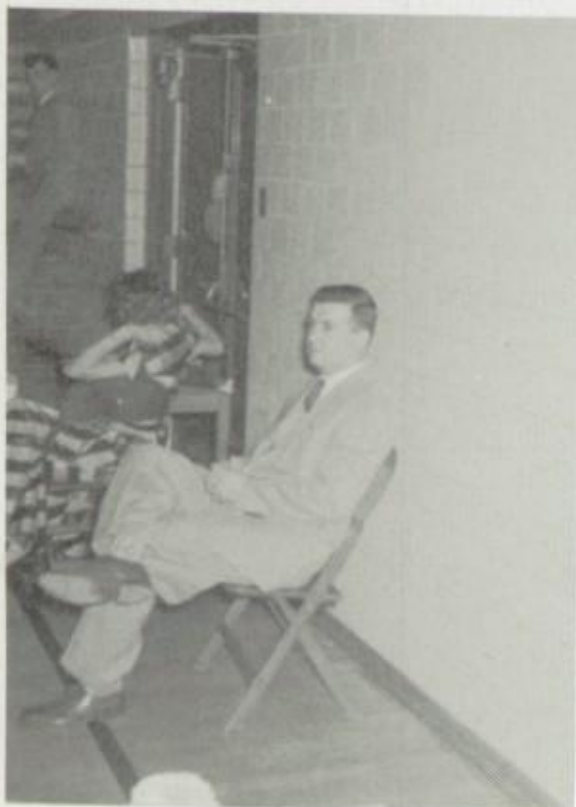
First Row: Edwin Koop, Frank W. Love, President, Leon Hoevet,  
Claude Hayden  
Second Row: Carl Meyer, Elmer Buhr, Arnold Martens

#### Grade School Board

First Row: Julius Blanke, Jr., Frank W. Love, President, Clarence Hamann,  
Julius Blanke, Sr.  
Second Row: Clarence Schneider, Ralph McKinstry, Walter Rosenbrock







Smile pretty

Oh, my gosh!

Swing your partner

Wonder Florida and pt

Egads!

Those are our teachers???

Bored???

Now for the grades

Tell me your troubles

It can't be that bad.

Mammoth Cave

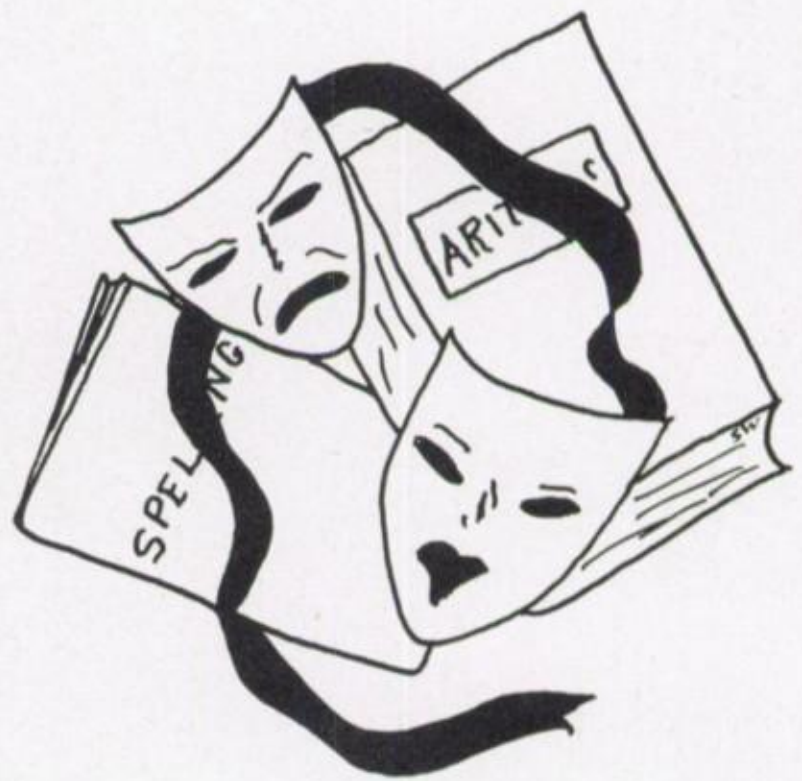
Should I, or shouldn't I?

What happened?



# Grades

*Defer not till tomorrow  
to be wise,  
Tomorrow's sun to thee  
may never rise.*







#### EIGHTH GRADE

First row: Don J., Danny T., Trudy H., Robert H., Jack H.  
 Second row: Dolores S., Jean M., Don B., June C., Patsy H., Kenny K.,  
 Karen K., Arthur P., Sandy S.  
 Third row: Donna L., Robert S., John P., Penny R., Wayne W., Diane A.,  
 Betty S., David E., David R., Arnold S., Jeanette S., Janice B., Alfred P.,  
 Dean S., Margie S.  
 Absent: Carol S.

#### Seventh Grade

First row: Sandra B., Judy H., Ann M., Kenneth H., Richard W., Richard R.,  
 Second row: Cynthia S., Esther T., Dianne C., Carol H., Shirley K., Edward H.,  
 Trudy H., Janet H., Lucille L.  
 Third row: Richard B., Wesley S., Gary D., Carmen Y., Gordon S., Rodger R.,  
 Carolyn M., Opal S., Keren G., Judy L., Ann Louise B., Jerry M., Dale H.,  
 Linda H., Dave K.  
 Absent: John B.







#### Sixth Grade

First Row; Crystal L. Jerry J. Albert B. Larry P. Lois J. Jerry T. Jimmy G.  
 Ronnie U. James H.  
 Second Row; Darlene C. Jerry S. Martha D. Joan S. Jackie K. Edward A.  
 Sandra F. Paul L. Shirley K. David C. Viann S.  
 Third Row; Joyce B. Sue M. Judy J. Joyce E. Shirley W. Sharon K. Elizabeth C.  
 Rudell H. Ardith W. Susan R. Marjorie F. Janit V. Eddie Y. Katharine H.  
 Dianne D. Penny D. David L.  
 Not Present; Jack G. Betty G.

#### Fifth Grade

First Row; Walter M. Douglas C. Charles S. Bobby H. Ronnie R. Joyce F.  
 Robert S. Judy D. Myra S. Eugene F.  
 Second Row; Francine S. Steve N. Don H. Darris M. Marvin M. Cary H. Roger S.  
 Randy R. Billie B. Ervin B. Gloria J. Ronnie G. Wayne T.  
 Third Row; Pauline R. Leslie C. Roger B. Janette F. Dennis E. Billy M.  
 John H. Blaine B. Bob G. Floyd H. Chrystal S. Robert P. Austin H. Frank C.  
 Marlene H. Carolyn F.  
 Not Present; James S.







Fourth Grade

First Row; Scotty H. Cheryl T. Leanne J. Arlea E. Susie L. Janet H. Anna May D. Philip L. Ginger H.  
 Second Row; Melvin M. Roger S. Bobby K. Ralph W. Sandra D. Marlen G. Joan P. Marvin B. Robert D. Larry H., Ginger H.  
 Third Row; Raymond M. Bobby C. Kathy L. Vearl F. Beverly O. Joe G. Evelyn C. Janice S. Sharon G. Ginger W. Ronnie W. Mary Ann H. Byron M. Roy H. Arlene R. Jimmy S. Caroline H.

Grade Three

First Row; Donald H. James L. Sharon T. Rosenmay S. Tommy F. Dean B. Jerilyn P. Betty W. Steven E. Gary D. Lonnie M. Richard L.  
 Second Row; Donald H. Sharon M. Sharon C. Karen C. Jean M. Peggy P. Vernon K. Richard S. Martha U. Barbara S. Lyle H. Janet E. Audrey A. Beverly L. Nancy W. Danny C.







#### Second Grade

First Row; Ronnie D. Larry S. Marcia T. Janice C. Richard K. Bobby H.  
 Larry J. Paula H. Wayne B. Jimmy S. Larry M.  
 Second Row; Charlotte B. James S. Richard H. Lance R. Linda G. Diane C.  
 Yvonne H. Betty W. Nancy B. Bonnie D. Garry J. Carol H. Tommy C. Virginia L.  
 Jerry F.

#### Second Grade

First Row; Norman L. Jane D. Carl H. Mary L. Sharon K. Janice M. Billy L.  
 Gary E. Jerry B. Betty C.  
 Second Row; Billy S. Beverly K. Janice S. Donna B. Woodie M. Ronald B.  
 Charles B. Linda S. Jack V. Shirlee R. Roger M. Billy S. Jerry F. Bruce H.  
 Joyce H.







#### FIRST GRADE

Front row: Eddie M., Sharon H., Alberta M., Bette T., Dale C., Orville L.,  
Steven L., Harry S.

Second row: Donald H., Chester E., Richard H., Cheryl R., Judy O., Neil A.,  
Nancy S., Rollin N., Norma H., Beverly B., Peggy Y., Larry W.

Absent: Elaine Becker

Front row: Ronald B., Barbara C., Nancy C., Richard N., Jack L., Juanita K.,  
Barbara T., Betty B.

Second row: Sandy H., Lonnie H., Linda R., Dale M., Deborah M., Elaine R.,  
Beverly W., Elaine S., Gary H., James T., Judith H.





# Faculty

One pound of learning  
requires ten pounds of  
common sense to apply  
it.







Mayme Case  
 Grade 3  
 Browns College  
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 Illinois State Normal U.



Jacqueline Cravener  
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 Northwestern University



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 Kletzing College  
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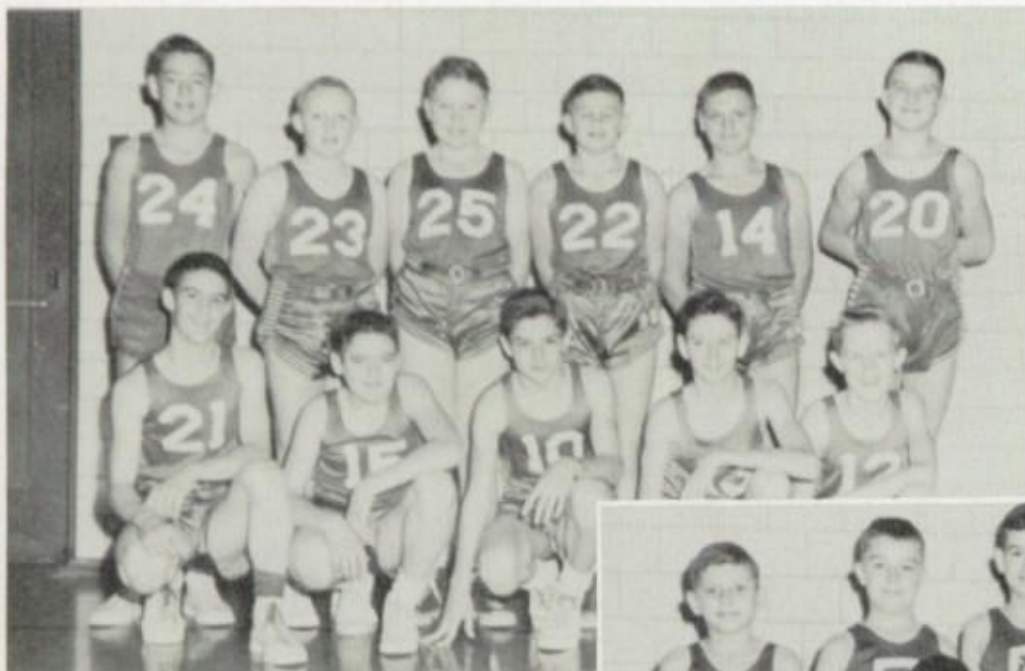












First Row: D. Esson; D. Baker;  
K. Keen; B. Sanders; W. Stolzenbach  
Second Row: J. McKelvey; A. Price;  
R. Boicken; G. Schneider; W. Walters

First Row: L. Phebus; B. Martens;  
E. Ashline  
Second Row: A. Bydalek; B. Blanke;  
J. Hamann; B. Hoebet



The Grant Park Pirates took second place in the Little Eight Conference Tournament just after the Christmas season. They had been undefeated until the Championship game of the tournament. At the time of this writing the Pirates are fighting to gain the lead in the Conference standing and could get a tie for the Championship if they win their remaining four conference games.

The "B" squad is still undefeated for the season with ten wins against no games lost and they still have four games to play.



Cheerleaders: L. Hamann. S. Braun;  
C. Mussmann  
Absent: Betty Shirk



Cooks

Maude West, Eleanor Grimes, Dora Buhr, Velma Heusing



Janitors

John Hoffman and Earl McNutt



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Transportation Squad

D. Buhr, E. Hunceler, A. Carlson, G. Hamann, O. Luster  
H. Novak, T. Ruhn, S. Heusing



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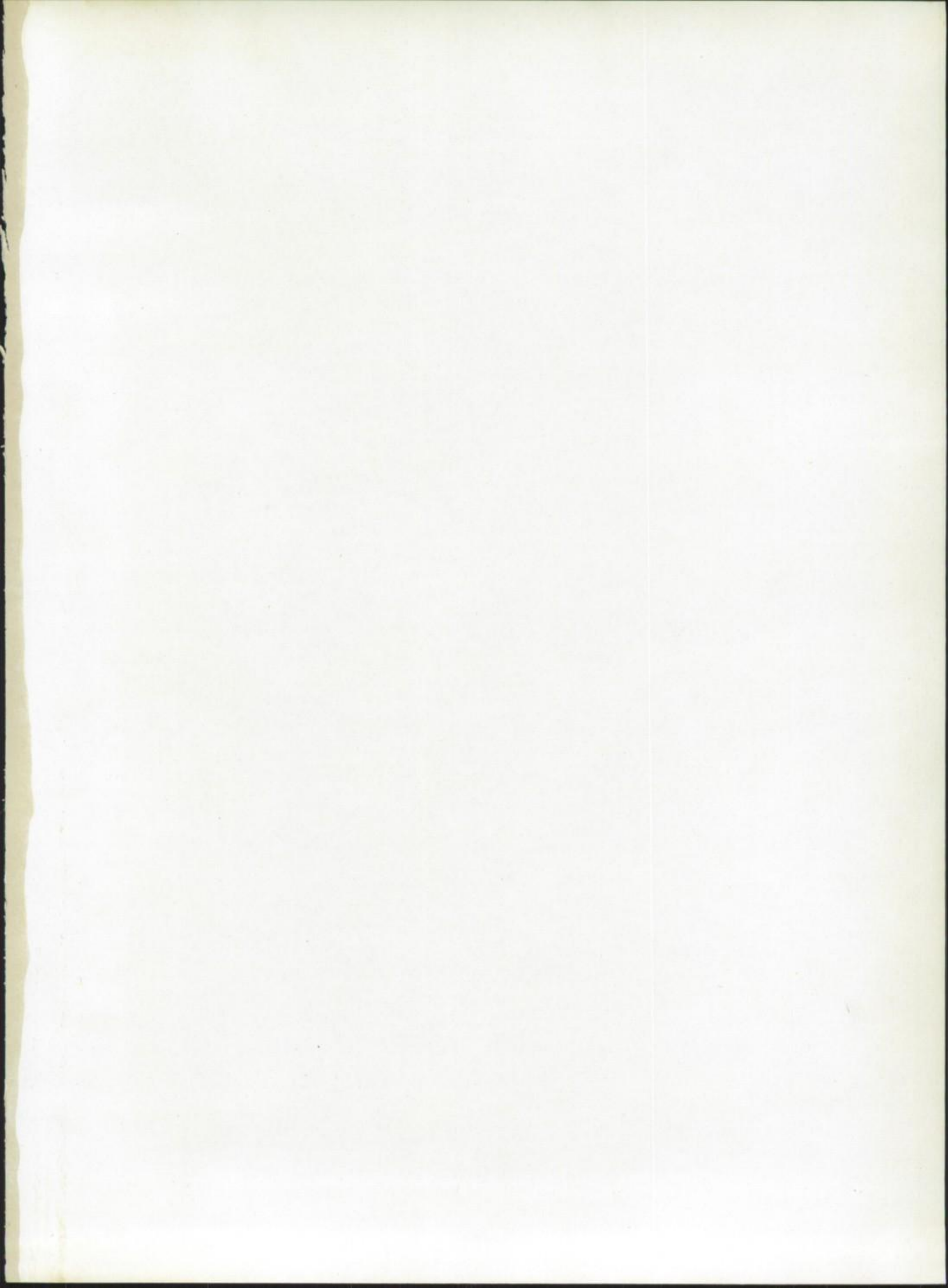
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